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SUMMARY.

It is estimated that Field Marshal von Hindenburg lost over 250,000 men last month, including 30,000 at Prasnysz.

The remnants of the German army are now falling back on Thorn.

In ten days the Russians captured 153 officers and 18,522 men in the Stanislavoff region.

The Austrians subsequently endeavoured mainly to make a stand in the Lukwa district, but lost enormous numbers.

The enemy was dislodged from the heights north of Lomza, the Russians continuing the offensive in Eastern Galicia.

Stubborn fighting is reported along the whole front between the Vistula and the Niemen.

Austrian-Hungarian despatches show that a tremendous conflict is raging along the whole of the Carpathian front.

The Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, the capital of Bukovino, where a reign of terror prevails.

Sir John French's report states that the situation is unchanged on the western front.

It is officially stated that the Germans used aerial torpedoes during heavy trench fighting between Reims and Prunoy.

The French Minister for Marine declared: "Not another ship shall reach Germany if we can help it."

"Germany," he said, "has put herself on the same plane as savages. We shall starve her out."

German admirals say the strain on submarine crews is so great that some weeks' rest is needed.

The British steamer Alston claims to have sunk a German submarine in the Channel on February 27.

Germany has expressed regret for the attack on the hospital ship Asturias, due, she explains, to a mistake.

Destroyers sank the German submarine U8, and took the officers and crew prisoner.

According to the "Matin," the Germans proposed to divide Paris into seven districts, each garrisoned by 100,000 men.

France was then to be bullied into assisting Germany against England on pain of the destruction of Paris.

Germany, it is added, believed that Russia's ammunition could not last three months.

The American Vice-Consul at Berlin declared in January that Germany was on the verge of famine.

Serious riots are taking place in the western cities of Germany, owing to the scarcity of potatoes.

Hundreds of women and children were injured at Cologne in a conflict between the crowd and the military.

"Eyewitness" says the German soldiers now get one loaf between three men, instead of between two.

Scandinavian shipping companies have refused to carry German goods to America.

It is officially estimated that the German losses to date amount to a total of 3,000,000, not including the sick.

Despite the efforts of the Germans to raise her, the sunken steamer Gneisenau still blocks the Scheldt mouth.

The Turks and Germans are hastily disarming some of the Dardanelles forts, sending the guns to the Sea of Marmora.

The marine prefect at Brest has pronounced the steamer Dacia's capture to be legal.

Captain Kinneir has been decorated by the King for his exploit in saving the steamer Otrago in September.

The "Times" says:—"We pay a special tribute of admiration to Australia's signal efforts for the Red Cross."

The total of the relief fund in India has reached 149 lakhs, equalling £1,000,000 sterling.

In view of the King's disapproval of its policy, the Greek Cabinet at Athens has resigned in a body.

Mr. Quin denounced General Hertzog for the part he played in the recent South African rebellion.

General Hertzog, he said, had duped others into treason, and ought to be shot.

The entire foreign diplomatic corps is leaving Mexico City, owing to the very critical nature of the situation.

The precise reasons for this action on the part of the diplomatists are as yet unknown.

The Cabinet has set aside £40,000 for a scheme for improving the stock routes of the State.

Properly to carry out the scheme will, however, probably require a total expenditure of something like £2,000,000.

The main points of the scheme are more settlement along the routes, more water tanks, and eradication of rabbits.

Neither Mr. Carmichael nor the Premier have yet given any explanation of the former's resignation from the Cabinet.

Letters to enemy countries are undeliverable if addressed directly to such places, but may be sent indirectly.

This may be done by enclosing them in envelopes addressed to an intermediary in a neutral country.

All such correspondence must be confined to private and personal letters, and must be brief.

Very keen competition prevailed at Gisborne (New Zealand) wool sales, prices being from 1d to 1½d higher than previously.

Over 1000 people joined in searching for tins, containing money, hidden in the beach at Newcastle on Saturday.

A second enclosure contained between 1500 and 2000 spectators. The scheme was in aid of the new ocean baths.

R.M.S. Mongolia reached Sydney two days late on Saturday, having been delayed by the attack on the Suez Canal.

From Port Said, where she lay, the boom of the guns in the action could be distinctly heard.

Passengers later had a splendid view from the decks of the site of the action, where burial parties were working.

The Assistant Minister for Defence says the report of four Australian soldiers falling from a Pyramid is unfounded.

He advises the public not to let unofficial messages of this kind cause any uneasiness till verified.

A storeship, returning to Sydney from Egypt, informed the inhabitants of Diego Garcia island of the war.

The islanders, unaware of the situation, had previously assisted in careening and cleansing the German cruiser Emden.

On Saturday next a third party of German officials and their wives leave Sydney for Germany by the Sonoma.

Senator Pearce stated recently that no stipulation had been made for the exchange of interned British or Australian subjects.

Bathurst farmers and settlers have decided to support a scheme for a farmers' co-operative shipping company.

It is pointed out that the new tariff puts over £250,000 a year extra taxation on the farmers.

The Bathurst Farmers and Settlers' Association on Saturday discussed the effects of the new tariff on farmers.

Mr. Edgell said the farmer should have the full benefit of freetrade with regard to the implements of his business.

The cargo steamer Canadian Transport (Melbourne to Ocean Island) reached Sydney with her bunkers on fire on Saturday.

The outbreak was discovered off Gabo Island on Friday. The firefloats Pluvius and Hydra quenched the flames.

There was more than an average total of recruiting at the Barracks on Saturday, which improved the week's figures.

The usual quietness ruling at week-ends prevailed on Saturday on the Sydney Stock Exchange.

Only a moderate number of transactions was recorded, at prices showing a slight upward tendency.

Shares were freely quoted in the mining division of the Exchange on Saturday.

A very fair number of sales was recorded at firm prices, Hampdens especially showing a rising tendency.

Forecast: Fine and cooler generally, with easterly south-westerly winds, except for an isolated thunderstorm or two in eastern districts.

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GENUINE Easy Terms for any class of Vehicles, Horse, or Harness. 50 Wilson-st., Newtown.

MUST Sell, Single Lorry, and 2 Double Lorries, cheap. 90 Chalmers-st., opp. Railway Subway.

EIGHT Waggonettes, £10 to £20, carry 30 cwt, pole, shafts, suit ctry. or city. 50 Wilson-st., Newtown.

NEW Tip Dray, Draught Mare, and Harness, any trial, cheap. 90 Chalmers-st., city. Top Ry. Subway.

LIGHT Covered Waggon, reliable horse, 6yrs., new Harness, any trial, £18 lot. 741 Harris-st., Ult.

PONY Van Turnout, any trial, £11 lot, must sell, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo, near Railway.

MILK Cart, reliable Horse, set new Harness, any trial, £14 10/ lot. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

SQUARE Van, rel. Horse, 5yrs, set new Harn., trial, £16 lot, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

MUST Sell, single horse Lorry Turnout, ton trial, £26 lot, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo, nr. Rwy.

BUGGY, reliable Pony, 5yrs, set new Harn., any trial, £16 lot, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

BUTTER Cart, reliable Pony, 4yrs, set new Harn., any trial, £12 10/ lot. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

DEALER'S Van, rel. Horse, 5yrs, set Harn., any trial, £14 lot, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

TIPCART, rel. heavy Horse, 5yrs, set gd. Harn., ton trial, £20 lot, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

TWO heavy Draught Horses, used ploughing, suit farm, £7 and £9, 6-7 yrs. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

TWO reliable Ponies, 12 and 14 hands, 4-5 yrs., £7 and £10, any trial, cheap. 741 Harris-st., Ultimo.

SALE, good Horse, Sulky, set Harness, take £10 lot, trial. 52 Pitt-st., Redfern.

SALE, reliable Horse, good Saddle and Bridle, lot £6. 52 Pitt-st., Redfern.

SALE, good, honest, reliable Horse, suit any business, trial, £7 10/. 52 Pitt-st., Redfern.

GOOD Silver-mounted Sulky, suit 12-h., cheap. 25 St. John's-rd, Forest Lodge.

FOR SALE, a good Van Horse, seen after 2 o'clock, Saturday, any trial, cheap. 74 Derwent-st., Glebe.

SALE, rel. Bay Horse, 14 hands, suit van or sulky, any trial, £4. 55 Ashmore-st., Erskineville.

BUTCHER'S ORDER CART, new, light, stylish, bargain. Dugnam, Smith-st., Surry Hills.

GOOD HORSE, Dray, and Harness, £12, any trial. 412A Pitt-st., near Railway.

SINGLE-SEATED BUGGY, nice Pony, and new Harness, £15, week's trial. 412A Pitt-st., near rlwy.

NICE Milkcart, Pony, and Harness, £12. 1 Glebe-st., off Bay-st., below Grace Bros.

NICE Roan Van HORSE, suit tradesman, £5, trial. 412A Pitt-st., near railway.

QUIET 11 hands Pony, suit children, 6 yrs., £10. 1 Glebe-st., off Bay-st., below Grace Bros.

GOOD Horse, Dealer's Van, and Harness, any trial, £14 10. 706 George-st., Haymarket.

HORSE, Village Cart, and Harness, £18, any trial, cheap. 706 George-st., Haymarket.

BUTCHER'S Order Cart, Horse, and Harness, £16, any trial. 706 George-st., Haymarket.

HOODED Confectioner's Waggon, Horse, and Harn., £28, good lot. 706 George-st., Haymarket.

GOOD quiet Horse, Bent-shaft Sulky, and Harness, £14 10, cheap. 706 George-st., Haymarket.

WANTED to BUY, Old Buggies, Sulkies, and Vehicles of any description; also any Old Harness. Letters promptly attended to. A. JOHNSTONE, 50 Kensington-street, city.

WANTED, small Pony Turnout, no dealers; where seen or apply 80 Wallis-st, Woollahra.

WANTED, long Tray Sulky, Horse, and Harness. No dealers. W. Carle, 8 Terrace-st, Dulwich Hill.

DEAD and Worn-out Horses and Cows Bought, highest prices given. Tumeth Bros., T., 171 Mascot.

DEAD HORSES and COWS Bought up to 10/ head. Carts sent anywhere. Connolly, Tel., 124 Mascot.

MEETINGS.

WILLOUGHBY SCHOOL OF ARTS, CHATSWOOD.

NOTICE is hereby given that a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the above Institution will be held in the Lecture-room, School of Arts premises, Victoria-avenue, Chatswood, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 24th March, 1915, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

"That this meeting of Members of the Willoughby School of Arts, specially convened for the purpose, hereby affirms that it is desirable, subject to the provisions of the Trustees of Schools of Arts Enabling Act, 1902, to mortgage the lands and buildings of the Willoughby School of Arts (the said land having a frontage of 50 feet by a depth of 167 feet, being part of Lot 6 on Deposited Plan number 3836, and comprised in Certificate of Title dated 19th June, 1909, registered volume 1977, folio 98, containing 30¾ perches) for the sum of £2500, at 5 per cent. interest, and authorises the Trustees to take all necessary steps for effecting such mortgage."

C. N. BACKHOUSE,
F. C. PETRIE,
J. N. MASON,
Trustees.

CLYDE BRICK CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at "Stanway House," 77 King-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended January 31, 1915. Also, for the election of Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of the ordinary business of the company.

Notice is also given that the transfer books of the company will be CLOSED from MARCH 5 to MARCH 22, both inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
C. DAVISON,
Secretary.
March 5, 1915.

MUNICIPALITY OF WILLOUGHBY.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING of ratepayers and residents will be held in the Town Hall, Victoria-avenue, Chatswood, on TUESDAY, 9th INSTANT, at 8 p.m., to consider the advisability of raising a fund for the assistance of the Belgians during their present unfortunate position, or to assist them in such other manner as the meeting may decide.

His Worship the Mayor (Ald. R. T. Forsyth, J.P.) will preside.

A. A. C. BASTIAN,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Willoughby,
March 5, 1915.

THE Annual Meeting of the Ashfield Liberal Association will be held To-night, in the Ashfield Town Hall, at 8 o'clock. Reports, Election of Officers, Addresses by Messrs. F. J. Thomas, M.L.A. for Gough, T. Hoskins, M.L.A. Musical programme. Ashfield Liberal Electors attend and join. A. R. Lemaire, H. S.

THE MONTHLY MEETING of the COUNCIL of the LIBERAL ASSN. OF N.S.W. will take place TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock, in the Liberal Rooms. The Hon. T. Waddell, M.L.A., will deliver a short Address on "Public Questions."
ARCHDALE PARKHILL, General Secretary.

UNITED Labourers' Protective Society.—Members are requested to attend Summon Meeting, Trades Hall, 8 o'clock. Business important. Arthur Vernon, Sec.

FOR SALE.

WILLCOX and Gibbs' Sewing Machine, equal to new, £3 10s. Pointnock, 8 Q. V. Markets, Market-st end.

PINNOCK Sewing Machine Co., 8 Q. V. Markets, George-st., nr. Market-st, Sydney. T., City 169.

CASH REGISTER, as new, 45s, great bargain. 211 George-st. North.

GAL. IRON, 3ft 6d, 4ft 1/, 5ft 1/3, 6ft 1/6, 7ft 1/9, 8ft 2/, 9ft 2/6, 10ft 3 per sheet, £14/10/ ton. Free del. to rail or boat. G. SAWYER, 97 Goulburn-st, city.

CAMERAS, Lenses Sold. Cameras, Lenses Bought or Exchanged. Russell, 145 William-st, city.

CAMERAS and Lenses for Sale, Bought, or Exch. Russell, 145 William-st., city.

SAWDUST.—White Sawdust for Sale, 2d per bag at works. Union Box Co., Annandale.

IRON, NEW, PERFECTLY SOUND, 6ft by 2ft, Plain 1/2 sheet; Corrugated, 1/6 sheet; 8ft, 1/11 sheet.
PERPETUAL TRADING ASSOCIATION,
105 Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, quantity 7 and 8 inch Round IRON, Alabama and Williams, 25 Cleveland-st, Redfern.

BELMONT Bedstead Factory for cheap Bedsteads, in 2in. pillars. 78 Belmont-st. N., Alexandria.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES of every description for S. at Berkman's, Pawnbrokers, 102-4 William-st, Syd.

TILES for Verandahs, Hearths, Butchers' Shops, Lavatories, Bathrms., Walls. Crook, Ford, 195 Geo. st. W.

FUR SET, rich Black, long fronts, large flopover Muff to match, both satin lined, trim. heads, tails, paws. Worth £3/3/, gift, 25/ set. DAVIS, 163 Pitt-street.

FUR COAT, Seal Coney, rich Black, silk lined, latest cut, design, worth 10 gns., barg., £3/10/. Davis.

BEAR RUG, magnificent Sample specimen, large size, selected white skin, mounted with complete life-like head and face, worth 12 gns., great barg., only £4 10/. Davis, Hoffnung's-chambers, 163 Pitt-street.

MOTOR FUR RUG, Black, Sample specimen, extra large size, worth £5 10/. Sacrifice, only £3/10/. H. DAVIS, Hoffnung's-ch., 163 Pitt-st., 3 doors G.P.O.

ALBUM, 50 Real Photos of India, 5/, cost £2; also Stamps for Sale, cheap. Booth, Argyll-st., Moss V.

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AUCTION SALES.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR,
CAMPERDOWN
(CITY).

THIS DAY,
COMMENCING AT 10.30 SHARP.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, as under:—
AT 10.30 A.M.
HEAVY and LIGHT HORSES, TURNOUTS, and VEHICLES of all DESCRIPTIONS.
AT 11.30.
On account Mr. G. BALDOCK.
13.2 Taffy Pony, broken to saddle and harness, new Sulky, and Harness.

TO RACING MEN AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Camperdown, city, THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 12 o'clock,
HAMMOND, Bay Gelding, 5 or 6 years, by Wauken Phast (imp.) from Pound Girl, a winner at the unregistered meetings.

TO TROTTING MEN, PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, AND OTHERS.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR,

WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 12 O'CLOCK.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON have received instructions from Mr. WM. SOMMER, to sell by auction as above,

Stylish Pair of Grey Horses (gelding and mare), thoroughly quiet in harness, used to city; splendid Hooded Rubber-tyred Carry-all (by Hooker), and set of Double Harness, all in first-class condition. Constantly driven around town by Mrs. Sommer.

BLUE STREAK, Grey Trotting Gelding, by Silver Huon, a winner and good country performer. BAY MARE, 4 years old, by Huon Jr., broken to saddle and harness, a maiden; splendid Buggy or Sulky Mare; BAY GELDING, 5 years, by Hawkesbury, broken to saddle and harness, very quiet, started twice in the country, and won both times. BAY GELDING, by Young Ranji, exceptionally quiet in saddle or harness.

THE TROTTING HORSES HAVE NOT BEEN TRIED OR TRAINED IN THE CITY, AND ARE ALL FRESH FROM THE COUNTRY.

TROTTING ENTHUSIASTS, PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, AND OTHERS, SHOULD NOT FAIL TO ATTEND THE SALE.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR,
CAMPERDOWN
(CITY).

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT,
AT 2 O'CLOCK.

80 FIRST-CLASS HORSES. 80

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
Full particulars last Saturday's issue.

WOOL SALES will be held TO-DAY, at the Sydney Wool Exchange at 3 p.m. as under:—
New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd., 2336 bales.
Australian Mercantile Land and Finance Co., Ltd., 2303 bales.
Winchcombe, Carson, Ltd., 3261 bales.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, etc.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at REDFERN STATION, THIS DAY, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, etc.

THIS DAY, AT 10 A.M. SHARP,
on the Premises,
473-5 PARRAMATTA-ROAD, LEICHHARDT,
UNDER IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS.

PLANT OF A LAUNDRY.
Washing Machine, Mangles, Tables.

BARNARD AND CO.
will sell by auction as above.
Auc. Offices: Record-chambers, 77 Castlereagh-street.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, AT 11 A.M. SHARP,
on the Premises,
VINTINER AND CO., LTD.,
SALEROOMS and REPOSITORIES,
120 PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CAMPERDOWN.

Attractive and Unreserved Sale by Auction
of
SUPERIOR FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE.

Under instructions received from W. HARRINGTON PALMER, ESQ., Official Assignee of the Bankrupt Estate of H. S. C. McIntosh.

Including
MASSIVE OAK SIDEBOARD, of elaborate design and superior quality and workmanship.
OAK EXTENDING DINING TABLE.
SUPERIOR QUALITY OAK DINING SUITE, with Upholstered Seats, Nearly New.

MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM SUITE.
Sine 6ft, in Solid Oak, of Modern Design.

FIRST QUALITY BEDSTEADS, FURNISHED WITH A1 Bedding, and in exceptionally good order.

Singer Dropbead Sewing Machine, Linoleums, Carpets, Glass-front Dresser, Kitchen Furniture, Requisites, and Sundries.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE MORTGAGEES.

REMOVED FROM THE STORES TO SALEROOM for convenience of sale.

ROSEWOOD SALOON UPRIGHT GRAND PIANO. A magnificent instrument, by "Laurence," U.S.A.

WALNUT UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, "Carl Ecke."

SOLID WALNUT FURNITURE.

BEDROOM, DRAWING, and DINING ROOM SUITES, Bookcase, Overmantels, Cabinets, Palm Stands. MASSIVE HALL SUITE.

ROYAL AXMINSTER and BRUSSELS CARPETS. A1 Quality Linoleum, Carpet Runner, Mats, Marble Clocks, Ornaments, Pictures, Mirrors, Cutlery, Glass, China, Table Linen.

HANNAM PATENT BATH-HEATER.
Patent Mangle, Wringers, Kitchen and Laundry Requisites.

QUANTITY OF AMERICAN CHAIRS, TABLES.

BARNARD AND CO.
will sell by auction, as above,
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auc. Offices: Record-chambers, 77 Castlereagh-street.

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, at my Rooms, No. 28 MARKET-STREET (3 doors from Clarence-street),
AT 11 A.M.

On account of whom it may concern,

WITH ALL FAULTS.

EX "SOCOTRA" E.D.A. in Diamond,

No. 73.—1 Case containing
30 doz Women's Black All-wool Plain Hose,
5 Pieces Cream Linen and Cotton Damask, from 54 to 66 inches.
12 Pieces Bleached All Cotton Damask, 54 inches.

No. 79.—1 Case containing
122 Pieces Cotton Lace Curtains, from 2½ to 3½ yards long.

No. 88.—1 Case containing
114 Pairs Cotton Lace Curtains, from 2½ to 3½ yards long.

EX S.S. "ESSEX."

6 Cases 7 feet 1 inch Corrugated Galvd. Iron.

8 Cases 10 feet 24 gauge Corrugated Galvd. Iron.

1 Case 7 feet 22 gauge Corrugated Galvd. Iron.

25 Cases Adler Brand Hard Oak Varnish. Each 8 1-gallon tins.

EX S.S. "EASTERN."

10 SEA GRASS LOUNGES.
12 SEA GRASS TABLES.

SAFE, 42in x 27in x 24in.

F. R. STRANGE,
AUCTIONEER,
28 Market-street.
Telephone, City 4295.

AUCTION SALE

OF

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN
MERCHANDISE.
ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.

IN THE NEW ROOMS OF
E. R. GREGORY AND CO.,
466 George-street (opp. Victoria Markets),
THIS DAY, MONDAY, COMMENCING 2.30 P.M.

CONSISTING OF DRAPERY, SADDLERY, CROCKERY, GLASS, CHINA, and ENAMEL WARE, IRONMONGERY, Etc. Etc.
Goods on view from 10 a.m. To-day till time of Starting Sale.
Inspection Cordially Invited.

THIS DAY.

JOHN F. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 292 Pitt-street, the Unredeemed CLOTHING and SUNDRIES pledged with Mr. M. Sleeman, of the Newtown Mont de Piete, 183 King-street, Newtown; and also with Mr. M. L. Sleeman, of Oxford-street, city.
AT 11 O'CLOCK:—
CLOTHING, including Suits, Dresses, Underclothing, Bed and Household Linen, Boots, Shoes, Umbrellas, etc., etc., etc.
AT 3 O'CLOCK:—
SUNDRIES, consisting of Field and Opera Glasses, Cutlery, Plated Ware, Musical Instruments, Clocks, Tools, Guns, Revolvers, etc., etc., etc.

FURNITURE. FURNITURE.
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, AT 11,
AT
THE HAYMARKET AUCTION ROOMS,
772 GEORGE-STREET.

PIANOS, FURNITURE, CARPETS, and LINOLEUM, CROCKERY, and GLASSWARE.
Details to-morrow.

HEBDEN
E. BRODRIBB,

THIS DAY, MONDAY, AT 11.30 A.M.,
AT 35 WILLIAM-ST, PADDINGTON, near Oxford-st.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Sideboard, Bev. Glass Fronts; Overmantel, D. Table, Couches, Austrian Chairs, Linoleum, Clock, Bedroom Suite, B.M. Bedsteads, Combinations, Dresser, Glassware, Cutlery, Dinner Set, etc., etc.
This is a Good Lot of Furniture.

MITCHELL AND CRANSTON.

TO HEADS OF FAMILIES, DEALERS, AND OTHERS, on MONDAY (THIS DAY), at 2 o'clock.
500 Lots Superior Clothing, Boots, and Sundries.

HENRY LEVY will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 135 Regent-st., city, on account Mr. M. Mitchell, Men's Sac Suits, Shirts, Trousers, Boots, O'coats, Ladies' Dresses, Blouses, Underclothing, Skirts, Bed and Table Linen, Remnants, Children's Clothing, etc.

AUCTION SALES.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE.

MR. J. T. TOOHEY'S

VALUABLE FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
MAGNIFICENT FULL-SIZE BILLIARD TABLE,
COLLECTION OF FINE PICTURES.
RARE OBJECTS OF ART.
BRONZES.
IMPERIAL DE SEVRES VASES.
MAGNIFICENT BRONZE CLOCK
("The Glory of Louis XIV.").
VALUABLE PIANOFORTE, by CHALLEN AND SONS,
Etc., etc., etc.
Also,
THE WHOLE OF THE
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS AND REQUISITES
CONTAINED IN THE RESIDENCE,

BAYARD,

WOLSELEY-ROAD, POINT PIPER,
WOOLLAHRA.

ON VIEW

THIS DAY, MONDAY,

FROM 10 O'CLOCK A.M. TO 5 P.M.

THE IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE
TO BE HELD
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY,
MARCH 9, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

CATALOGUES AT THE RESIDENCE.

JAMES R. LAWSON AND LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
196-198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
NEAR PARK-STREET.

DULWICH HILL.

TO PICTURE FRAMERS, STUDIOS, PRIVATE BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

On the Premises, 432 NEW CANTERBURY-ROAD, opposite Post-office, DULWICH HILL,
THIS DAY, MARCH 8,
AT 11 A.M.
By Order of Messrs. H. GUIVER and CO.
On account of DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The Whole of the Superior Stock of OIL PAINTINGS, WATER COLOURS, ENGRAVINGS, ETCHINGS, STEEL ENGRAVINGS, all of highest class, in artistic frames; OLEOGRAPHS, OVERMANTELS, ART MANTELS, fes lines of MOULDINGS.
Special attention is drawn to this Sale, the goods being of excellent quality, latest designs, and artistic finish. WITHOUT RESERVE.

M. GOULSTON AND CO.
will Sell TO-DAY, at 11 a.m.

THIS DAY, 2.30, on the premises, 150 Enmore-road.—Superior lot Household Furniture, first-class Bedroom Suite, Sideboard, Comb. Chests, M. T. Washstands and Ware, splendid 4ft 6in Bedstead, Wire and K. Bedding, 1 and 2ft 6in Bedsteads, complete, Dressers, Din. and K. Tables, lot Chairs, Linos., Curtains, Crockery, and quantity Sundries.
EVANS and CO.
will sell as above.

RE AUCTION SALE AT SPRINGWOOD.

DESCRIPTIVE BOOK CATALOGUES,
Post Free Anywhere at once.

Send address to the Auctioneers,
MESSRS. STRONGMAN AND WATKIN,
BURWOOD-ROAD, BURWOOD.

THIS DAY, MARCH 8th, AT 11 A.M.
AT THE CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 361 PITT-ST.
Gold and Silver Watches, Rings, Brooches, Chains, Bangles, and other miscellaneous Jewellery.

A. G. JENKINS has been instructed to sell as above THIS MORNING,
WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, AND THOSE REQUIRING FIRST-CLASS TIMBER and UP-TO-DATE FITTINGS.

Gigantic Sale of all the Material contained in 6 2-story shops and dwellings situated on corner of Elizabeth and Campbell streets, next to Durack's Hotel, TO-MORROW, at 11 a.m. These superior materials contain:—

150,000 Machine Bricks.
6 Plate-glass Shop Fronts.
12 Steel Girders, 6 x 4, 9 x 5 (12, 14, and 16 ft long).
500 Sheets Gal. Iron, 6 to 9 ft.
Slate and Marble Slabs.
50ft Awning, cast-iron posts and T iron.
100 Sheets Corrugated Ceiling Iron.
3000 ft 6 x 2, 5 x 2½, 4 x 2, 3 x 2 Oregon Joists and Rafters, 24 x 30 ft long.
3000ft 8 x 2 Oregon Joists.
4000 ft Hardwood, 6 x 2, 4 x 2, 3 x 2, ditto.
2000 ft 4 x 1 Oregon Battens.
4000 ft 6 x 1 Kauri Flooring, T. and G.
3000 ft 4 x 1 Tallowwood Flooring, clean, and as good as new.
3000 ft of Lining and Partition Boards.
Wainskirting, Fascia Boards, and Shelving.
50 Panel Doors, Frames, Fanlights, complete, modern sizes, a first-class lot.
25 Front Entrance Half Glass and Ledge Doors.
40 Box Frames and Sashes, suitable for any modern house or cottage.
Sliding Sashes, Verandah Posts, Gas and Water Piping.

G. L. COOPER has received instructions from Mr. COULING to sell the above without the slightest reserve. Inspection invited. Auctioneer's address, 78 George-street West. Tel., M. 1588 and North Sydney 1579.

AUCTION SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUILDING MATERIALS,
AT MOSS VALE.

SLACK and CO. have received instructions from the CHIEF COMMISSIONER for RAILWAYS and TRAMWAYS, to sell by Auction, on the Site of Building recently demolished, and known as the
OLD COURT-HOUSE,
Near MOSS VALE Railway Station,
on
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10,
AT 2 P.M.
A Splendid Lot of Building Materials,
comprising
DRESSED STONE, BRICKS,
JOISTS, RAFTERS, FLOORING,
DOORS, BOX FRAMES, and SASHES,
ROOFING IRON, LEAD, and SUNDRIES.

EVERY LOT MUST BE SOLD.

SLACK and CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta.

CLEARANCE AUCTION SALE OF SURPLUS BUILDING MATERIALS,
on WEDNESDAY NEXT, MARCH 10th, at 11 o'clock, on the Premises, No. 84 ABERCROMBIE-STREET,
LATE Messrs. SPINK AND WOOD'S COACH FACTORY.

JAMES COWAN,
acting under instructions from Messrs. Marcus Clark and Co., Limited, will sell in Lots,
BUILDING MATERIALS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
COUNTERS and OFFICE FITTINGS,
GAS and WATER PIPING, and SUNDRY LOTS.
CAST and WROUGHT IRON WORK.
OREGON and HARDWOOD TIMBERS, all sizes.

TERMS, CASH.

By order of the Executors of the Estate late MRS. E. GRIMWOOD.

SUMMER HILL.

A Substantially-built and Well-finished COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as CAVANBAH, fronting DRYNAN STREET, at the corner of PROSPECT-ROAD. Erected within its own NEAT GARDEN and GROUNDS, 81 feet x 178 feet. Torrens Title.
CAVANBAH is built of Brick (tuckpointed front), on brick foundation, slated roof, has verandah (tiled), front and side, and enclosed verandah at rear, and containing vestibule hall, drawing and dining rooms, breakfast-room, 3 bedrooms, maid's bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Small pantry on back verandah, Detached toolhouse, bushhouse, and fowlhouse.
A DELIGHTFUL POSITION, surrounded by HIGH-CLASS RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES. The Cottage is replete in every modern convenience, and finished in an attractive manner.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 12th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above COTTAGE RESIDENCE at SUMMER HILL.
HENRY DAVIS, Esq., 3 Moore-street, Solicitor to the Estate. (1454)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

MANLY.

FOUR Weatherboard COTTAGES, known as Orange, Bathurst, Wellington, and Mudgee, at the corner of SYDNEY-ROAD and AUSTEN-STREET, with Government road at the rear. They are built of Weatherboard, on stone and brick foundations, have verandahs in front, and contain each 2 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Land, 67ft 6in x 168ft 6in.
RENTAL, £139/2/ PER ANNUM.

ROCKDALE.

TWO NEW COTTAGES, fronting ABOUKIR-STREET, off Bay-street. They are built of brick (tuckpointed fronts), on brick foundations, have verandahs front and rear, and contain each hall, 3 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. Land: Lots 1 and 2, sec. 2, Wolseley Estate, 105ft 1¼in x 200ft, width at rear 70ft 7¼in. RENTAL, £93/12/ PER ANNUM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Suburban Properties. (1451)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE ROBERT PEARCE.

MANLY. MANLY.

Allotment 70, BELLEVUE HEIGHTS ESTATE, 40ft to BRISBANE-STREET, between Sydney-road and Griffiths-street, depth 125 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 12th March, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Land, near tram line, Manly to Spit. Plan on view. (1455)

KOGARAH.

Close to Moorefield Racecourse, and between Rocky Point-road and the Beach.

A Capital BUILDING SITE, Lot 14 and part of 15, Kogarah Park Estate, having 88 feet 6 inches frontage to the south side of GREEN-STREET, a few yards east of Rocky Point-road, depth 188ft back to a lane. Torrens Title.
AUCTION SALE, at the ROOMS, 98 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, MARCH 12, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD. (1460)

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6.—BURWOOD.—Brick House, corner Burwood-road and Meryla-street, in conjunction with Turner, Tate, and Co., Summer Hill.
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10.—ABBOTSFORD.—Water-frontage Property, with Brick Cottage, 7 rooms, etc., Torrens Title.
11.—NORTH SYDNEY.—Building Allotments, in the Gore Hill Estate.
12.—AUBURN.—Building Site, corner Kibilla and Boomula streets.

ORDER OF SALE
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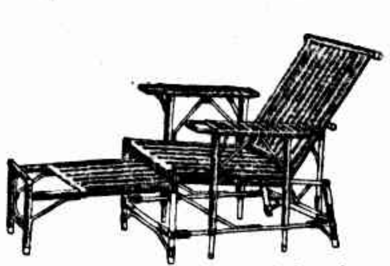

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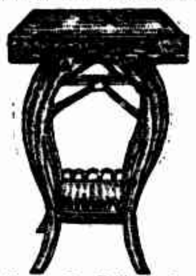

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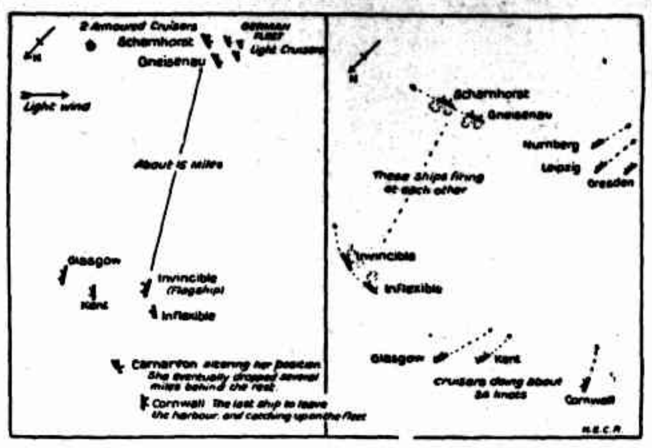

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Meanwhile the Glasgow, steaming ahead, forced the Leipzig to alter her course, thus enabling the Cornwall to open fire. The Kent got within range of the Nurnberg at 5 o'clock. The Nurnberg was afire at 6.30. The Dresden escaped owing to the necessity of the Glasgow stopping the Leipzig.

IN EXCHANGE FOR LOVE.

BY CHARLES GARVICE.

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CHAPTER XXIX.—Continued.

Nora rose, with a proud face and a back as stiff as a poker.

"Am I to understand, Mr. Chalfonte, that you are offering me your fortune?" she said coldly, but with a flush on her beautiful face. "If so, you must let me remind you that, when I offered you only a portion of the fortune which had fallen to me so unexpectedly, you refused to accept a penny. Please credit me with something of the pride which you possess, and—— Oh, you don't think I should accept your—or any man's—charity!"

With this she walked out of the hut.

Jack regarded with a dismayed countenance Mabel's anxious face.

"Now I've gone and done it!" he said, ruefully. "Yes, I've offended her. But, you know, it's absurd to suppose, for one moment, that I am going to turn her out of Chertson, going to deprive her of Chalfont's money. Why, I don't believe she's got a penny! And it belongs to her of right; there was trouble between Chalfont and her father; a debt which Chalfont was only paying when he left Chertson to her. Look here, Mabel, you'll have to talk to her. I swear I won't take a penny of this money. I'd rather go on working on this blessed island for the rest of my life."

For a moment or two Mrs. Feltham regarded the floor with a curious expression on her face; then she looked up and said:

"You'd better tell her so yourself, Jack. You can tell her on the way home. Oh, do take us away from this dreadful place at once!"

"All right," said Jack. "I suppose I've got to come. But I've got to say good-bye first. You go on towards the quay. I'll follow you in a minute or two."

CHAPTER XXX.

Jack went up to the hut to say good-bye; it was a sad business, for Molly clung to him tightly, sobbing bitterly, and for some time refusing to be comforted, though Jack assured her that she had not seen the last of him, and made Mrs. Ryan promise to bring the child to Chertson later on. His face was very grave and wistful when he joined Mrs. Feltham and Nora at the quay; and the former regarded him with a ludicrous mixture of affection and dismay; for Jack was still in his navvy clothes, and most unsuitably clad as a companion for two such charmingly attired ladies.

"Don't you think you'd better get a—a change of clothes, Jack, dear?" she said, piteously.

"Oh, I'm sorry; beg pardon!" he responded, glancing at Nora penitently. "Not fit in this get-up to travel with two such swells as you. Better sit in front with the chauffeur."

"My dear, that would be worse," said Mrs. Feltham desperately. "I don't see what you've got to laugh at, Nora! We should look as if we'd picked up a tramp. No, you'd better come inside. Thank goodness, it will be dark before we reach Chertson, and you must go in the back way and try not to be seen."

"Very well, Mabel," he assented, meekly. "But perhaps, after all, you two had better go on without me; I'll get a change in London, and follow you next morning."

"Oh, no," said Mrs. Feltham, shaking her head decisively. "I don't mean to let you out of my sight until I've got you back to the Hall; you'd be fighting someone or getting into some scrape or other, or disappear again."

Jack glanced at Nora, who said, with an air of assumed resignation and a shrug of her shoulders:

"I'm afraid there's no help for it, Mr. Chalfonte; and you will have to come with us."

"I'll sit as far away from you as I can," said Jack, as meekly as before; "though, mind you, it's quite clean dirt, mostly sand."

"Do you think I'm afraid?" said Nora, just a little indignantly. "You have forgotten that I've spent most of my life with miners and amidst dirt that was sometimes anything but 'clean.'"

They got into the car; and before they had been travelling half an hour Jack began to nod; then his head fell forward, and he went fast asleep.

"He's weak and ill yet, poor dear!" whispered Mrs. Feltham.

Nora nodded and turned out the electric light; but her eyes dwelt on the sleeping man's face, haggard and worn, and with the ugly wound on the forehead. Presently she took a cushion from behind her and placed it softly behind Jack's head; he woke for an instant, and murmured:

"Thanks awfully, Mabel; that's jolly."

Mrs. Feltham was about to say it was Nora who had paid him the little attention, but Nora pressed her arm and checked her. He slept for nearly the whole of the journey, and woke with a start and a half articulate cry; he had been dreaming of Stephen Fleming. Nora had not allowed the car to be driven to the back, and Jack was received by the impassive Forbes and his satellites with obvious satisfaction and delight, and with not the least show of surprise at his attire. Mrs. Feltham took him straight to his room. He had a bath, got into his evening clothes, and went down to the drawing-room, where Mrs. Feltham received him with a sigh of relief and contentment.

"Now I can really believe you've come back," she said. "But, oh, Jack, how pale and thin you are!"

"Just a little bit off colour, Mabel," he said, lightly. "I shall be all right when you've fed me up for a day or two."

At this moment the door was opened wide enough by Nora to admit Jim. She herself did not enter, but closed the door again. With yaps of delight and joy, Jim bounded on his master, and for a minute or two they were engrossed with each other.

"It's good to see you again, old man," said Jack, as he crushed Jim's head against his knee and looked into the fond eyes. "I hope you haven't missed me half as much as I have you, Jimmy. You're looking fit and fat, anyhow; we shall have to run some of that fat down, old chap. It's evident you've been well taken care of."

"He follows Nora like a shadow, and goes with her everywhere," said Mrs. Feltham.

They went in to the late meal, which had been prepared for them hastily, and Jack gave them an amusing and interesting account of his experiences on the island; but, though they were both amused and interested, the two ladies seemed somewhat preoccupied; as the meal proceeded, Mrs. Feltham stole anxious and uneasy glances at Nora; and presently, after the servants had withdrawn, Mrs. Feltham said, with a little nervous cough,

"What about your letters, Jack? I suppose you haven't had them?"

"No," he said easily. "Are there any?"

"Yes; they are at your rooms; Mr. Tredgate is taking care of them."

"Good old Troddles!" said Jack affectionately. "I'll run up to-morrow and see him, and get them. I don't suppose there's anything particular."

"But there is," said poor Mrs. Feltham piteously. "Oh, Jack, I didn't mean to tell you to-night; but I've got to; it's only right you should know at once."

Then, in broken sentences, she told him of the motor accident which had resulted in the death of his two cousins.

Jack sat quite still and silent for some minutes, his head resting on his hand, his eyes fixed on the cloth. Nora rose and left the two alone, now that her presence was no longer needed to encourage and uphold Mrs. Feltham in breaking the news.

"You will have to see Damersfield at once," said Mrs. Feltham. "Of course, he is very anxious that you should go down to him. You see—you see—you come next, Jack."

Jack started slightly and, with a frown, regarded her with a kind of dismay.

"I'd forgotten that," he said; and he had "I can scarcely believe it's true. Poor fellows! Poor old chap! Yes, I must go down."

"This will make a great difference to you, Jack," said Mrs. Feltham in a low voice. "I know you're sorry enough; but—but—you will have to settle down now; there are great responsibilities——"

"I know, I know," he said with a sigh; and he got up and paced the room. "Yes, it will make a great difference; so great that I shan't want this money of poor Chalfont's. Surely Miss Norton will understand that, and will be—will be sensible? She and Ferndale must look at the thing from a common-sense point of view. Chalfont meant leaving the money to her, I'm dead sure of that; there's his letter to prove it. Ferndale must be made to listen to reason. Why, I shouldn't be surprised if Miss Norton insisted upon breaking off the engagement, now that this wretched will has deprived her of the estate; and that mustn't be."

Mrs. Feltham raised her eyes and opened her lips as if about to speak; then looked down again and made no response.

"Don't you see the fix I'm in, Mabel. If I took the fortune from her, I should feel as if I'd come between them; and, dash it all! I couldn't stand that. Oh, confound it, something's got to be done; it's got to be managed somehow. And the worst of it is that I can't talk to her; I did say something on the island there, and she flared up. No, she didn't flare; but she turned to an iceberg in an instant, and froze me to the marrow. You talk to her, Mabel, and—and try to knock some sense into her."

"I will do what I can," said Mrs. Feltham, with her eyes still fixed on the cloth.

"How beautiful she is," said Jack, after a pause, and still pacing up and down; "more beautiful than ever. But she looks—well, I don't know how to put it, but she doesn't look as if she was as happy as she should be."

"She is a little tired to-night, no doubt," said Mrs. Feltham in a non-committal way; "you must remember all she has gone through this afternoon."

"Yes, yes, of course," said Jack; "but it's all over now; and it isn't only tired that she looks, but as if she were fretting about something. Oh, I can't describe it."

"Perhaps she is fretting over the loss of her fortune," suggested Mrs. Feltham, with an assumed ingenuousness.

"Not she," responded Jack, almost indignantly. "She is not that kind of girl; she cares nothing for money, and isn't afraid of poverty. No, I don't know what it is. Let's go in to her."

But when they got there they were informed by Forbes that Miss Norton had retired for the night.

(To be continued.)

TRADES AND LABOUR.

BRICKMAKERS' STRIKE.

The dispute between the men and the management at the State Brickworks, Homebush Bay, over the dismissal of a man who was working a machine was not finally adjusted on Saturday, but negotiations for a settlement had been carried to a point which would indicate an early resumption of operations. The intervention of the Labour Council having been sought, the secretary, Mr. E. J. Kavanagh, M.L.C., had an interview with representatives of the men and the Minister for Works, Mr. Griffith. Proposals which were then made are still under the consideration of both parties to the dispute. It was understood that the union (Brickmakers and Clayworkers) is prepared to supply men as soon as trucks are available.

TROLLY AND DRAYMEN.

The Transport Group, No. 12 Board, governing the wages and working conditions of trolly, draymen, and carters, is about to extend its sittings to the coast districts. The board began to hear evidence early in June last year, and had practically completed its labours when the war broke out. Lismore will be visited on or about 15th inst.

TRADES HALL ASSOCIATION.

The half-yearly report and balance-sheet (the sixty-first) of the Trades and Industrial Hall and Literary Institute Association of Sydney, Limited, shows income received from rents during 1914 £3680 5s 1d, an increase over the previous year of £286 1s 1d. The expenditure for working expenses during the half year was £1333 2s 1d, and £263 2s 5d was spent on repairs and improvements. A balance of £1310 1s 4d is in the City Bank at current account. Proposals for an increase of the capital of the association, which is regarded as necessary in view of the rapid expansion of the business, will soon be placed before those concerned. Plans and specifications for projected additions to the building have been prepared, and await the approval of the city architect and of the authorities administering the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908.

MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES.

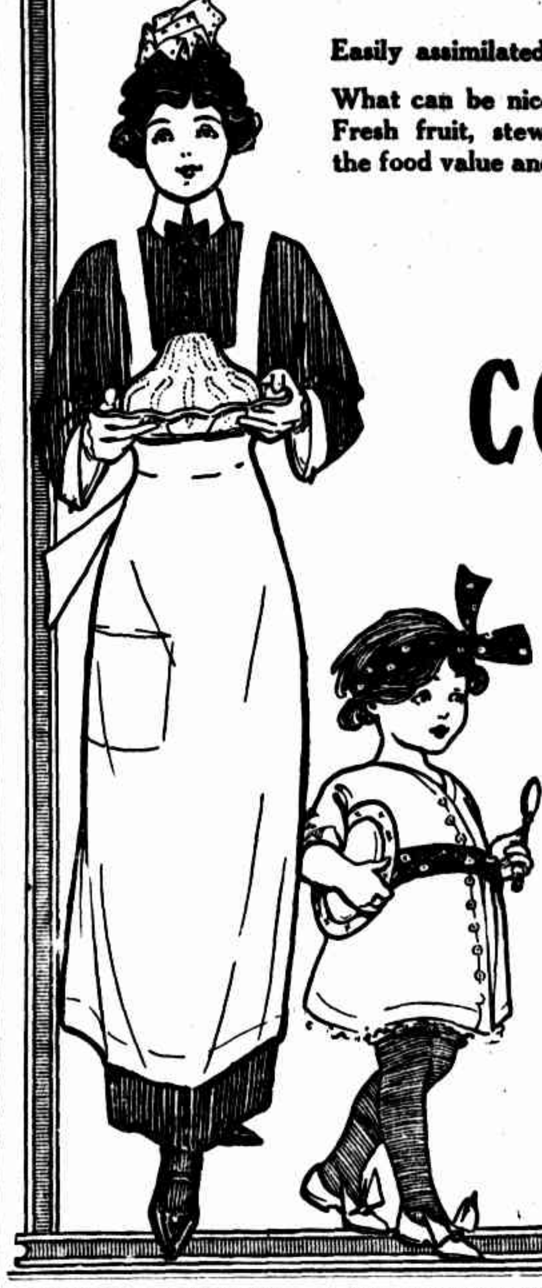
Owing to the illness of Mr. Magney, one of the employers' representatives on the Municipal and Shire Councils' Wages Board, the hearing of the claim of the employees has been adjourned till March 11.

RAILWAY WORKERS' BALLOT.

Ballot-papers are being issued to members of the Railway Workers' and General Labourers' Association asking them if they are in favour of amalgamation with the Australian Workers' Union on lines specified.

A notice was posted outside the union office of the Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners on Saturday, stating the following, which is indicative of work:—"Four boats in Sydney next week; more to follow."

Gatekeepers have asked the Miscellaneous Workers' Union to make application for a wages board to cover their occupation. It is regarded as likely that the request will be acceded to.



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RIFLE SHOOTING.

CLUBS AT RANDWICK.

TEACHING NEW CHUMS.

The feeling is growing, especially amongst the members of the newly-formed rifle clubs, that the miniature ranges will have to be relied upon very largely for the teaching of new chums. The rifle club reserve movement has caught on so thoroughly that the problem of practising facilities at the big ranges outside the city area has assumed tremendous proportions. The suggestion made at the last meeting of the N.R.A. for the use of the Randwick Rifle Range on both forenoons and afternoons of week-days, as well as Saturdays, will, if acted upon, provide facilities for a good number of rifle club recruits. There are a large number of men who could make it convenient to visit the range during the week, and who would gladly stand the little extra expense to pay for their instruction. But there will still be left a very large number to whom this opportunity will not come. These must get their instruction and practice either on Saturday afternoons or else in miniature ranges within the city boundaries, and this handy to office or workshop.

Meanwhile, a commendable spirit is being manifested throughout the established rifle clubs. Expert marksmen are showing an eagerness to teach novices to shoot, and almost every club represented at Randwick on Saturday put in good work in this respect. Not long ago any score of less than 40 out of a possible 70, or less than 30 out of a possible 50, was deemed not worth recording. Now small scores are recorded with pleasure. The clubs are proud of the fact that new marksmen are coming on, and it is a fine thing to see the veterans on the mound doing their best to help the recruits to find the target. Many of these veterans learned to shoot under entirely different conditions. There were, undoubtedly, "pot-hunting" days, when one had to "get the wind" for himself. But all that is now, happily, passed, and the one idea which prevails is that of assistance. The target might be transformed into an armed and skilful foe some day, and mutual interest, if no more, impels mutual assistance.

Twenty-three clubs secured targets at Randwick on Saturday, and many of them had "new chums" in their ranks. Still, a number of excellent scores were recorded. Pride of place must again be given to W. H. Cutler, the ex-King's prizeman from Bathurst, who now leads the Randwick Literary Institute Club. From away out on the 800 yards mound, this marksman shot most consistently, registering 34, 34—68, out of a possible 35, 35—70. The conditions were certainly not ideal, and the trickiness of the wind may be gauged from the fact that, while Mr. Cutler found the "bull" with his first and second shots, he registered an "inner" at "nine o'clock" with his third shot, then found the centre again for his next six shots, but only just missed getting a "magpie," scoring an inner at "three o'clock," with his tenth shot, and then getting the bull again with his last four shots. It was a splendid performance at 800 yards under the circumstances, but it only beat his clubmates—R. Hughes and W. Robinson (who scored 67 each)—by one point.

The next best score was that of W. Clague, of the Clyde Engineering Works Club, who registered 5, 5, 5, 4, 5, 4, 5, 5, 5, 5, 4, 5, 5, 5—67 out of a possible 70—with his fourteen shots in two stages at 600 yards. His clubmate, W. Abell, ran him very close with 66.

Concord Club members essayed the difficult 700 yards range, with 14 shots in two stages, and H. Sommers' score of 31, 33—64 is very worthy of mention. Several clubs used the 600 yards range. P. Partridge, of Rockdale Club, scored 30, 32—62, out of a possible 70; whilst R. Marsh, Belmore Club, scored 27, 34—61, and E. C. Bennett (Western Suburbs Club) 62, out of a possible 70, with 14 shots. With ten consecutive shots from the same distance, Sergeant J. Buchan (South African Soldiers' Club) scored 43, L. W. Hunt (46), S. Green (45), and C. E. Long (45), all of Eastern Suburbs Club, and A. A. Jones (42), of Metropolitan Railways Club, out of a possible 50.

The best score at 500yds was that of A. R. Shepherson (Randwick Club), viz., 33, 32—65, out of a possible 70, closely followed by F. Heap (Legion of Frontiersmen Club), with 32, 32—64; off scratch in a Randwick Club shoot, with 14 shots in two stages. A number of clubs practised at the shorter ranges, with a view to "breaking in" new members, while a fair number of targets were also used by clubs in their musketry course to qualify new members for efficiency recognition.

In the Wollongong Club's second shoot of the March quarter, 14 shots in two stages at 600yds, E. Osborne led with 64, followed by J. Burns and F. Horne, 63 each, out of a possible 70. In the monthly prize shoot of the Canberra Rifle Club, seven shots each at 400 and 500 yards, D. S. Jones top-scored with 32, 35—67, followed by C. Muir, with 34, 32—66; and F. G. Brown, 35, 31—66, out of a possible 70. The Jamberoo and Shellharbour clubs fired a match of ten men aside, the conditions being ten consecutive shots at 500yds. Shellharbour won with an aggregate of 442 (M. Gallen 47, F. Richards 46), against Jamberoo's 424 (D. O'Keefe 47, C. W. Craig 45).

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

PASTORAL SESSIONS.

The Methodist Conference assembled in Pastoral Session on Saturday morning.

The Rev. W. Pearson, secretary, reported that telegrams had been received from Queensland and Western Australian conferences, endorsing transfers of the Revs. F. A. Malcolm and J. A. Walsh, in exchange for the Revs. F. Duesbury and James Thomson.

The list of applicants to be placed upon the supernumerary list was large, and a number of senior ministers received very appreciative testimony as to their character and work, suitable resolutions being placed on record. The following were placed permanently upon the list:—The Rev. J. W. Holden, J. W. Moore, M. Reavley, R. East, F. O. Boyer, and three Fijian missionaries. The Revs. W. Halse Rogers, A. Cooper, A. E. Walker, and F. W. A. Roberts were granted supernumeraryship for one year, and the Revs. G. Thompson, S. J. Gibson, E. Youngman, and T. F. Rudd were continued as supernumeraries for another year.

The following fourth year probationers were received into full connection with the ministry and granted ordination:—Messrs. J. E. Chapman, A. F. Crapp, M. L. Doust, R. H. Doust, N. H. Parr, N. J. C. Southwell, F. W. Walker, and P. Williams, J. Wesley Booth, a third-year probationer, being also granted ordination, as he was proceeding to the Foreign Mission Field. Mr. Hayward Preston, conference evangelist, is also to receive ordination.

ASHFIELD FETE.

A fete was opened on Saturday in the grounds of St. Vincent's Presbytery, Ashfield. The proceeds of the fete, which will be continued for several days, will be shared by the Presbytery and the Belgian Fund. Among those present were the Consuls for France, Belgium, and Japan.

M. Chayet, Consul for France, said that his colleagues had asked him to open the bazaar. They were always glad to do what they could for the Church. Australians since the war had broken out had proved themselves as generous to the poor and destitute. It would be ungrateful for them not to reciprocate.

The various stalls of the Allies were appropriately decorated.

HORSE BURNED TO DEATH.

CONDOBOLIN, Sunday.

A horse was burned to death in a fire which destroyed a shed and loose box at the rear of Tattersall's Hotel. A motor car and sulky were also destroyed.

OUT OF WORK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In to-day's "Herald" Mr. Holman is reported as saying that there was no real unemployment in the State, and, anyhow, no distress.

Now what possible good can come by any public man, least of all the Premier, making such (to put it in the mildest terms) a glaring misstatement of fact as this? Mr. Holman knows as well as I do that there are thousands of unemployed in the city alone, and infinite distress all round, and there would be thousands more except that the army is, happily, absorbing most who are eligible to enlist. If he doubts this, let him make a visit any morning to the Labour Bureau at Dawes Point, where he will see hundreds after anything that offers. In obedience to a summons by postcard, I, with some 20 or 30 others, attended there yesterday. We were informed that there was railway work for us at Dunedoo, but as we were called upon to pay our own fares (18s 6d), provide tents and blankets, etc., and take sufficient money to keep us for at least three days, totalling altogether at least 50s to £3, and as, naturally, none of us had even a few shillings, it was a farcical mockery to send for us; but I have not the slightest doubt that the Labour Bureau will report that we refused the work, and many, of course, will believe it.

I am, etc.,
DISGUSTED.
March 5.

LAW REPORT.

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEAL.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring.)

"FRIVOLOUS APPLICATION."

Rex v George Cochrane.

Mr. C. A. White appeared for the Crown. Prisoner was not represented. This was an application by George Cochrane (Grant Hervey) for leave to appeal against his sentence. He was convicted at the Darlinghurst Quarter Sessions, before Judge Docker and a jury of 12, on a charge of forging and uttering a telegram, and was sentenced to two years' hard labour. He now asked for leave to appeal on various grounds.

His Honor having read the depositions, and the report of the Judge, said that prisoner had been convicted on the clearest possible evidence. He put forward as one of his grounds that the trial was unduly pressed on, but if he had desired to obtain a postponement at the trial he could have applied to the presiding Judge, and the Crown was in no way to blame. His Honor said he should like to point out that it was a great pity that frivolous applications for leave to appeal were permitted to come before the Court. In some of them there was not a single tangible ground to support the appeal. Whilst a prisoner was an appellant he was accorded different treatment from that which he would be subjected to if no appeal was pending, and perhaps that was the reason why there were so many of these appeals, with the result that the time of the Court was wasted. Leave to appeal was refused.

LAW NOTICES.

MONDAY, MARCH 8.

SUPREME COURT.

Term List.—Motions generally.

Before Mr. Justice Ferguson, in No. 2 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: Royal Commission Wheat Acquisition Bill.

Chamber List.—Before Mr. Justice Ferguson, in No. 1 Court.—At 9.30 a.m.: Farms, Ltd., v Dick, to set aside ca re (part heard). Before the Prothonotary, in No. 3 Court.—At 9.30 a.m.: Gilles v Johnson, to enter suggestion; Blanning v Byrne, for commission; Batt v Byrne, for commission; Robert Campbell and ors. v O'Brien, O'Brien claimant, sheriff's interpleader.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Deputy Prothonotary.—Malone v Malone, 10.15 a.m.; Quinn v Quinn, 10.15 a.m.; Ferguson v Ferguson, 10.15 a.m.; Brooks v Brooks, 10.15 a.m.; Goodwin v Goodwin, 2.15 p.m.; Before the Chief Clerk.—Coffey v Uptin, 10.30 a.m.

Note.—During the week non-contentious matters in Chambers will be taken by Mr. Justice Sly, and contentious matters in Public Chambers by Mr. Justice Ferguson, except those authorised to be taken by the Prothonotary.

In Divorce.—Before the Judge in Divorce, in No. 4 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Cause List: Barsby v Barsby, Wilson v Wilson (part heard), Shearer v Shearer, Wiles v Wiles, Allingham v Allingham, Baird v Baird, Mullins v Mullins.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity, Equity Court No. 1, Chancery-square.—At 10 a.m.: Stewart v Council of Enfield (part heard). Before his Honor Mr. Justice Harvey, Equity Court No. 2, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.: E., S., and A. Bank v Fowler (part heard); Campbell v Campbell, summons for interrogatories; Williams v Gatter, hearing.

Before the Master in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Re J. T. Clayton and Conveyancing Act, to approve of order for payment out. Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: Perpetual Trustee Company, Ltd., v M'Pherson, to settle minutes of order. At 11.30: Commissioner for Railways and Dangar, to settle minutes of order.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before his Honor the Probate Judge, in No. 1 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.: Joseph Burke, to carry on and mortgage (part heard); motions to pass accounts and for commission; motions for power of sale. The following miscellaneous motions will be taken:—Edwin C. Irwin, for maintenance; John G. Kalbfell, for maintenance. The following accounts will be taken at the Probate Office:—10.30 a.m., A. S. Betram; 10.45, R. E. Nail; 11, Julia Abbott; 11.15, William Brown; 11.30, C. A. Hawkins; 12, H. W. Melber; 12.15, J. M'Phillamy; 12.30, M. Larkin.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At 10 a.m.: Certificate application: Thomas Hugh Connolly. Single meetings and public examinations: Arthur Irwin King and George Clarke, Donald M'Nabb, Israel Jacobs, James Tom Webb, George Starr, M. J. Nagle, Albert Pocock. Before the Chief Clerk.—At 10.30 a.m.: Re A. E. Robson, taxation of official assignee's costs.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before Judge [illegible].—At 10 a.m.: Coker v Jackson, Garratt v Clark, Metaxopoulos v Francis, Gum v Norton. Note: The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

Before the Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: Barnes and others v Morahan and others. At 10.45 a.m.: Ogden ats. the Council of the Municipality of Petersham.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION COURT.

Industrial Courthouse, Queen's-square.—Before Mr. Justice Heydon.—At 10 a.m.: For hearing, re Operative Plasterers' Association, by J. Harwood, for cancellation; Waters v Bailey and others, stated case. For judgment: Re Iron and Shipbuilding Trades Group No. 21 Board, appeal by Stove and Pianoframe Moulders' Employees' Union; re Iron Trades Employers' Association, application for award for Constructional Steel and Iron Workers.

Court-room, lately occupied by the Master in Equity.—Before Mr. Justice Edmunds.—At 10 a.m.: Re Government Railway Group, No. 2 Board, by Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association, for variation (part heard).

CHIEF INDUSTRIAL MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Next Water Police Court, Phillip-street.—Before the Chief Industrial Magistrate.—At 10 a.m.: For hearing, Durack v Brown (2), same v [illegible], same v Burton (3), same v Purcell, Rowland v [illegible] (2), Smith v Nettleton, Hastie v Aulsebrook and Son, Ltd., Willingale v Ireland. At 11 a.m.: Durack v Grouse (2).

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Reginald Percy Jackson, forgery and uttering (to receive sentence); William Edward Petley, stealing; Michael Lannon and Frank Shields, false pretences; Joseph Edward Gleeson, false pretences; Thomas Flinn, breaking, entering, and stealing.

Appeals against orders and convictions by magistrates will be heard at No. 2 Court, Darlinghurst, as follow:—Mary Bunch, breach of Liquor Act (part heard); Hubert Hayes, attempt to steal from the person; George Cavanagh, stealing; Samuel Anderson, vagrancy; William Myles [illegible], larceny.

AMUSEMENTS.

ADELPHI.—"LADY GODIVA."

"And from a heart as rough as Esau's hand, he answered, Ride you naked thro' the town, And I repeal the tax"—are lines that sum up the poetic story of Lady Godiva. The central situation therein contained has been led up to in prosey melodrama by one Max Goldberg, and on Saturday was staged at the Adelphi Theatre in picturesque fashion. The period took the first-night playgoers back to the year [illegible], in the ancient town of Coventry, when Leofric, Earl of Mercia, was lord there. So great was the sympathy of the crowded audience for the famished citizens groaning under the tyrant's tax that they waited almost breathlessly for the "Day of Deliverance," judiciously postponed by the dramatist until act III. Then did Miss Oriel Hotson, a princess who played right graciously the part of the gentle Godiva, ride forth upon a grey palfrey trapt in scarlet blazoned with armorial gold, herself arrayed in such a generous torrent of flowing fair hair and timidly ingenuous smiles that the "fleshings" of theatrical use were quite superfluous! There were no Peeping Toms in the house, and the applause was tremendous! Strange to relate, the Peeping Tom of the fable whose eyes "were shrivelled into darkness in his head," was transformed in the drama to a friendly maniac, Tom o' Coventry. His task it was preposterously to foil the attempts of the villain both upon Godiva and the nobly-born foundling Edgar, of whom he was the guardian. The part was cleverly played in a spirit of attenuated melodrama by Fred Kehoe. Roland Conway appeared as a picturesque-looking Leofric, a ruler of wibbly-wobbly character, and Rutland Beckett, undistinguished in a tawdry cloak of blue and yellow, was the usurping Algar, Earl of Northumbria, who desired Godiva, and roused her husband to frantic jealousy. A robust impersonation of Edgar by Jack Kirby showed the future earl as a manly lover of the kittenish Lady Aldyth (Gwen Dorise); whilst the poorly-written low comedy roles were in the hands of C. R. Stanford, D'Arcy Kelway (Robin), and Gwen Dorise (Elfrida). Mr. Stanford as the shrewd and cowardly man-at-arms Unwolf Unwolfsen, absurdly cuffed and knocked about by a skimpy little comedian half his size, was quietly humorous. Besides J. S. Mann's effective set of Leofric's baronial hall, the woodland scene in which the cottage was destroyed by fire won hearty applause.

The George Willoughby direction will repeat "Lady Godiva," as notified in another column.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITAL.

The popularity of Puccini's "Madame Butterfly" on the organ fully warranted the repetition of the first act of that opera by the city organist, Mr. Truman, at the Town Hall on Saturday evening. In this the large audience was introduced to the Japanese garden, and the naval officer, Pinkerton, who has arranged to "marry" the pretty Cho-Cho-San. Pinkerton's description of his infatuation (Amore o Grillo) was finely interpreted, and Butterfly's aria as she sings of the breath of spring was inspiring in the ecstasy infused. The act closed with the music in the exquisite scene in the garden, tranquil in the star-filled night, as Pinkerton muses on Butterfly's beauty and her child-like charm, and the latter's "Dolce notte! Quante Stelle!" provided a rapturous climax as the bride is led forth to the marriage chamber. The second half of the programme included the overture to "Iolanthe," a popular concession that was well appreciated; the valse from Delibes' "Sylvia Ballet" and the Bach "Prelude and Fugue in G Minor." The evening closed with the prize song from "Der Meistersinger," that exquisite excerpt in which Walther traces the dawn of his inspiration, and the union of his ideal of art with Eva, whom he loves.

CENTENNIAL SKATING RINK.

The Centennial Park Skating Rink, Bondi Junction, was officially opened for the new season on Saturday afternoon by the Mayor and Mayoress of Waverley. When the doors were thrown open to the public in the evening there was an exceptionally large attendance. The rink has a fine floor, and there is a full orchestra at all afternoon and evening sessions. There are instructors always available for beginners, who can obtain lessons either on the main floor or on the special novices' rink. During the season there will be three sessions daily.

YOUNGEST MAYOR.

WOLLONGONG, Saturday.

Alderman Smith, the newly-elected Mayor of Wollongong, last night entertained the aldermen and prominent public officers at a banquet. Alderman Smith is probably the youngest Mayor in the State.

Lipton's £200 competition concludes on August 2 instead of July 31, by request.—Advt.

ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

POSITION IN RIVERINA.

Copious rains were never more needed in Riverina than at the present moment. The harvest of 1914 was the worst on record. It has been especially hard on men who, during the past two years, have selected land, as they have not only failed to secure any return for their outlay on improvements, but in many instances they are unable to pay the rent or interest on their holdings. Some idea of the falling off in yield may be gathered from the railway returns of wheat traffic. Last year the grain carried on the Southern line and its branches ran into millions of bushels, whilst this season the total is only about 150,000 bags—and this in spite of the fact of a large increase in the area under crop.

The serious effect of this reduction becomes more apparent when it is remembered that at the time of the 1902 drought land cost very much less, and the farmer was, therefore, not so heavily burdened in the matter of interest. The demand for land at a reasonable price has always been in excess of the supply, and this, added to the series of good seasons experienced during the past half-dozen years, tended to increase the selling value to a price at which a fair profit could only be made in very good seasons. Some of the farmers, from this cause and from the large increase in the cost of labour, are beginning to find that they have paid too much for their land. This year the area under wheat bids fair to be greater than ever, and with a really good season, and prices at all approaching those now ruling, there should be a return of modest prosperity, though it is doubtful if agriculture will yield so large a return as it has done in the past. On the other hand the recurrence of a season like the past must prove ruinous to a large number of the new men. As for the old settlers who got their land at bedrock value, and who are mostly free from debt, if not independent, they could hold out against two or three droughts in succession without absolutely coming to grief.

It is the general opinion among landholders of long experience that all the conditions will be appreciably bettered during the coming period of growth; many, indeed, are sanguine as to the probability of an exceptionally good year. Since 1905 there has been a very large increase in the land under wheat in the country between the Lachlan and Murray rivers, much pastoral land having been turned to account for agriculture. Some of this country was held to be unfit for cultivation, but, under a proper system of dry-farming, good results have been obtained, and people are beginning to ask whether there is any land in the State which can accurately be described as being outside the wheat belt. It is, however, only right to say that where satisfactory returns have resulted on this dry country, fallowing has been rigidly adhered to, cultivation has gone hand in hand with sheepfarming on a small scale, and the land as a rule has not cost too high a price. But good returns or bad ones, farming is steadily growing in this State. In 1904 there were a little over two millions of acres under wheat in New South Wales. Last year there were over four millions. Despite the dry weather, farmers are busy ploughing. Riverina had last year 1,124,969 acres under wheat; the Southern slopes, in addition to the Wyalong district, totalled another 800,000. The coming season should see two and a half million acres throughout Riverina under cultivation.

In view of the extremely bad season that the man on the land has had and is enduring, it is essential that every consideration possible should be extended to him, both by Government departments and by private concerns. This is not a matter of favour, but a wise policy, having in view the future. It is against the interests of the State that any man should have to give up his holding, or that the number of agriculturists should be reduced. Especially is this the case in such a magnificent territory as Riverina, which will always be one of the greatest wealth-producing sections of the State. The fact that it is suffering all the disability and loss of a record bad year is only an incident to be expected in this country, at least until much more is done in the way of water and fodder conservation and provision of better stock foods. Experience leads us to expect that ultimately production will be greater than ever, as a result of the enforced natural "rest" that the land has had through the drought. No one with a practical knowledge of our wheat and sheep country, however much they may regret the occurrence of drought, will believe for a minute that it is more than a passing phase, and know that the country and the landholders will speedily recover from its effects once good rains change the outlook. Therefore lies the necessity of considering the future, and the fact that the farmers and graziers have been able as a body to hold out so well certainly indicates that the banks and commercial concerns are doing their best to tide their clients over a time of stress. It is to be hoped that there will be nothing to prevent a continuation of the same attitude during the remainder of the year until the next wool clip and the next wheat crop are taken off. The more sheep that can be shorn and the greater area of wheat that is harvested the quicker will the farmer be able to meet his obligations, to the benefit of the whole trading community of the State.

But if mutual interest prompts this attitude on the part of private enterprise, the duty of the Government is even more clear. In this connection, as an example, the request of the Narrandera P.P. Board that all wire-netting instalments in arrears, and 1915 instalments, be allowed to remain unpaid until the middle of January, 1916, without enforcing the penal interest clause of 10 per cent. on unpaid instalments, should receive sympathetic consideration by the Government. The Department of Lands has requested that a number of outstanding instalments be paid immediately, and, when the state of the season is remembered, it is obvious that the board is justified in stating that the majority of settlers whose instalments are in arrears are struggling men, who, owing to the bad season, have no income at present. For a Government department to press for payment under such circumstances would be a suicidal and unduly harsh policy. Probably the attitude of the department is a matter of formal procedure, and it is not equitable that settlers should not meet their obligations to the State if they are in the position to do so. But there should certainly be no further action taken in cases where it can be shown that the bad season has exhausted the settlers' resources for the present.

ITEMS.

The display of Jersey stock at the Bega show this year was favourably commented on by visitors from all parts of the State. Mr. J. Hutchinson, manager of the Bodalla estate, expressed the opinion that no better Jersey show than Bega exists in Australia.

A decided improvement was also noticeable in the Shorthorn classes. Although district breeders mostly plump for Jerseys in preference to all other kinds, many more Shorthorns are now being raised than formerly, mainly because of the high prices ruling for young stock.

The controversy that was started by Mr. Ashford, Minister for Lands, regarding the alleged stagnation of Illawarra, has aroused considerable interest throughout the district. Many of the principal farmers maintain that the land has not degenerated to any extent, and point to the great growth of grass and crops as a complete refutation of the charge.

Certainly the area is having a splendid time this year, but it must be remembered that the rainfall has not been equalled for many years, and the falls came along just at the proper time. A recurrence of the dry springs which have been common in the district of late years will probably put a new complexion on the matter, especially as this year the area sown with green fodder is smaller than formerly.

The Kameruka Estate does not intend showing at the Sydney Royal this year. The death of Sir Robert Lucas Tooth is responsible for this decision, and a number of first-class exhibits which were practically ready for shipment will have to be withheld.

The Southern Monaro district needs rain badly. A good season was experienced here during the early summer months, and some fine stacks of hay are to be seen in the paddocks along the road, but the grass is now nearly done, and a good fall is required to freshen things up.

Something like a record was put up at the recent Kangaroo Valley Show by Mr. M. Donnelly, who obtained no fewer than 47 prizes (including 24 firsts) in all sections.

Farmers throughout the South Coast district are doing their duty in response to the appeal on behalf of the various food funds. Many of the suppliers are devoting the value of one day's output per month, and others have intimated their intention of following suit.

At Milton a fairly substantial sum was realised by the sale of the pavilion exhibits, the proceeds from which were devoted to the patriotic fund by owners, and in a number of other cases successful exhibitors have handed their prize-money over for the same purpose.

At the official opening of the Gloucester Show Mr. J. H. Cann, the visiting Minister, quoted some figures which illustrate the growth of the cattle-raising industry on the Manning. These only prove very conclusively what a splendid cattle country it is, but indicate the very large amount of pioneering work which has been done to carry the herds.

Nineteen years ago, he said, there were less than 20,000 cattle on the Manning; yet to-day there are nearly 115,000 head. The output of butter had increased during the same period from 200,000lb to nearly four million pounds. There were about 25,000 milch cattle in the district, as compared with about 4000 head 19 years ago.

The development of dairying and the big prices now paid for all kinds of cattle have sent land values in the Gloucester district above anything thought possible only a few years ago. In the opinion of many experienced cattle men, however, values have now reached a figure which, even allowing for a continuation of high prices for cattle and of good seasons, will not make it easy for new buyers to reap a harvest.

Owing to the forward state of the fruit crop, apple and pear packing is some three weeks earlier than usual. Growers are evincing a keener interest in up-to-date methods, and the general tendency appears to be towards improving the pack. One debatable question that is exercising the minds of growers is the question of wrapping their fruit. For good quality fruit there can be no hesitation as to the advantages offered by wrapping. Wrapping has the following advantages:—(1) It serves as a cushion; (2) it prevents rot from spreading from fruit to fruit; (3) it maintains an even temperature in the fruit; (4) it has a more finished appearance when exposed for sale; (5) it adds to the keeping quality. The disadvantages are:—(1) The increased cost in placing the fruit on the market; (2) the time devoted to learning the art of wrapping.

COUNTRY KILLING.

"V. H." writes:—I note that several gentlemen, one way or the other closely connected with the meat trade, state that sending chilled meat to Sydney had not proved a success, that country killing was impracticable, and that the Sydney people did not want chilled meat, but beyond these statements nothing is said to give the reasons for these apparent failures. It would be most interesting to get to the bottom of these things and hear the reasons why. The gentlemen making the above statements are prominent business men, who would not drop a matter without finding out first the reason for its failure. Sydney people are not different to other people in the world, where huge quantities of chilled meat are daily consumed. In fact, in some countries, for instance, Germany, it is prohibited by law to sell any other but chilled meat, which has been so treated over several days.

Have the failures been caused through technical difficulties or a public objection to the chilled article? It may be of interest to note the opinion of the refrigerating expert of the Argentine Government, Dr. Pedro Berges, as expressed in the Bulletin of the Ministry for Agriculture:—"The forced application of cold stores at abattoirs opened great possibilities for reducing the price of meat. If every butcher was forced to leave the meat to be chilled during four days before it was sold, the public would soon get used to consume only such meat, which is really more suitable for human consumption." There are many things in this world which a few years ago were impossible, but at the present day could not be done without, and so it is likely to go with country killing and chilled meat.

AT THE LIVERPOOL CAMP.

INFANTRY REINFORCEMENTS IN TRAINING.

A SQUAD OF NEW RECRUITS.

SPRAYING DEMONSTRATION.

A number of horticulturists assembled at the Botanic Gardens on Saturday morning to witness a spraying demonstration with the Vacuum Oil Company's prepared red oil. It was claimed that the preparation would destroy red scale and wax scale infesting citrus trees, white and pink wax on ornamental shrubs, and aphis on roses and other plants without injuring the trees or plants. An emulsion was prepared with cold water and soap powder, and the spray was showered upon a lemon tree, a gardenia plant, a palm tree, and palms in pots, which were affected with scale and insect pests. The demonstrator explained that spraying was mostly done in winter, but that this spray could be used on the more delicate growths in the summer season, when the plants were in full growth, without retarding their development. The result of the experiments will be made known in a fortnight's time.

COTTAGE GARDENS COMPETITION.

At the last meeting of the council of the National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland, consideration was given to a suggestion submitted by Mr. P. J. Symes that a competition should be held for cottage gardens in the vicinity of Brisbane. Mr. Symes's idea is that a competition would tend to encourage productions of utility products, such as every description of vegetable in addition to the usual horticultural growths. He contended that the conditions around Brisbane were such that almost any householder in the suburbs could produce his own vegetables, and by this means release a proportion of salary usually expended in such household requisites for purposes such as Belgian or patriotic contributions. Mr. Symes suggested that generous prizes be awarded in connection with this competition, and undertook to collect the amount required. He urged that as this was the principal planting season for many varieties of vegetables, it would be well to give prominence to the suggestion, so that probable competitors could take the advantage which the season offered of preparing their competitive items.

The secretary reported that he had submitted the idea to Messrs. J. F. Bailey (curator of the Botanic Gardens), and F. W. Woodroffe (secretary of the Horticultural Society) for the compilation of conditions which would best apply to such a competition.

THE WHEAT SEIZURE.

Mr. J. Sawyer, Tomingley, writes:—With all Mr. Holman's great power of thought, he does not seem to be able to discriminate between the freedom of contract and compulsory commandeering. While addressing the electors in the Castlereagh electorate he took Mr. T. I. Campbell, secretary of the F. and S. A., to task when that gentleman said there was a great difference between the British Government buying up all available sugar at the ruling market rates, and the Government of New South Wales compelling all the wheat-holders of the State to hand over their supply to the Government. That was under a threat that if they did not do so the Government would take charge and deliver the wheat to the railways at the expense of the owner, and the owner would have to wait until the authorities felt inclined to pay for such wheat. The price of 5s per bushel did not meet with the approval of most wheat-producers, as they did not require to look far ahead to know that through the drought wheat must reach a higher price than 5s per bushel. But the law said, you must give up your wheat under penalty. What a difference in saying the Government will give you 5s per bushel if you will take it, and we will give you 5s per bushel whether you like it or not. Farmers, as well as any other class, know what to expect in going against the law; so they were intimidated, and thousands sold under strong protest. I can assure Mr. Holman that if a plebiscite were taken among the farmers as to their opinion on the wheat seizure not five per cent. would vote in favour of it. While a few farmers who sold their wheat on forward delivery may be gainers by breaking their agreement, I have met some of those who consider it an outrage on the part of the Government in muzzling the matter of supply and demand. In my opinion a parallel could not be found in the annals of history. Every man who honestly works, likes to get the full fruits of his labour, but the present Government robbed most of the wheat-growers of the profits of their toil.

NEW ZEALAND'S EXPORTS.

MEAT, BUTTER, AND CHEESE.

An enormous increase has taken place during the past year in New Zealand's export trade. For the year ended December 31 the Dominion's total exports were valued at £26,281,447, an increase of £3,270,775 over the value for 1913. This total is not only an absolute record, but it is also a considerable increase on what was previously a record. Beef was exported to the extent of 72,916,627lb, compared with 31,675,707lb during 1913. Of this quantity 40,571,771lb had been shipped during the first six months of the year, more than during the whole of 1913, while since the war began the quantity has only been limited by the capacity of the freezing works to deal with the stocks and of the steamers to carry away the frozen meat. There has also been a record output of frozen mutton and lamb. The exportations of butter this season have already reached a total of 249,269 boxes, while the quantity of cheese exported totals 15,712 crates, as compared with 5922 crates during the corresponding period of last season.

FRUITGROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

The executive of the Fruitgrowers' Association of New South Wales met at Castle Hill on Saturday. Mr. J. Churchill Tucker presided at the earlier part of the meeting; later the president, Mr. J. Neil, occupied the chair. The correspondence included a letter from Mr. Joseph Cook, M.H.R., enclosing a communication from the Prime Minister, suggesting that the proposed deputation from the association (to urge that more duties should be imposed upon fruit imported) might wait upon Mr. Tudor. Mr. Fisher wrote:—"This matter (the request for increased duties upon the importation of fresh fruit) closely concerns my colleague, the Minister for Trade and Customs, and I think the representatives of the association might well see Mr. Tudor and place the necessary facts before him for consideration, as you know these are exceedingly strenuous days for us, and I should greatly prefer it if your correspondents could arrange to wait upon my colleague." It was decided to ask when Mr. Tudor could be interviewed.

A communication from the Middle Dural branch of the Agricultural Bureau made reference to a circular from the Inverell branch, A.B., suggesting that increased powers in relation to the prosecution of growers holding neglected orchards, and so on—should be given to Government inspectors. The Middle Dural branch considered that the powers the inspectors possessed at present were ample. The executive of the association took a similar view. Mr. F. A. Nicholson (Glenorie Branch, F. A.) wrote, suggesting that organised canvassing in support of the association should be set on foot at once, and that the senators and representatives in the Commonwealth Parliament should be circularised by the association, and requested to support increased duties on fruit imported. It was decided to adopt the later suggestion, and to take steps to ascertain if a canvass of all the districts represented by branches of the association could be made.

Before the close of the meeting Mr. Hemers brought under the notice of those present three matters. One had reference to facts connected with the "act of injustice" imposed on Australia and its products at the hands of the American Government officials at San Francisco, who had decided to debar Australian fruit from New South Wales, Queensland, and Western Australia from entering the port of San Francisco, for participation and competition with the produce of the other nations of the world at the Panama Exposition. A second matter had reference to allegations made lately by a witness giving testimony in Victoria in matters relating to fruit, that some agents took the contents of, say, five cases, and, repacking the fruit, made six cases out of the consignment, thus unfairly increasing their own profits. The third matter was in reference to the good chance that undoubtedly seemed now to be promised of the development of an export trade in fruit to Java.

THE FODDER DUTIES.

Mr. H. Pigott, M.P., writes:—

I notice that representations were made last week to the Minister for Customs by several of the State Ministers, that it would be necessary to import shortly large quantities of fodder supplies, and requests were put forward that the import duties should be abrogated. Mr. Tudor stated on Thursday week that the Premiers had been informed that, owing to Parliament not being in session, he could not remit the duty. When Parliament was in session, in the interests of the drought-stricken pastoralists of Australia, from the floor of the House I asked the following questions ("Hansard," page 383, October 28, 1914):—

Mr. Pigott: In view of the severity of the drought now prevailing, will the Minister for Trade and Customs take into favourable consideration the matter of remitting the fodder duties, in order to give relief to graziers and others?

Mr. Tudor: The remission of the fodder duties can only be done by Parliament. The Government have had the matter under consideration, and I can promise the honourable member that I shall do my best to see that all sections in the community obtain justice.

Mr. Rodgers: What does that mean? They want chaff.

Mr. Tudor: The matter has been considered by the Government. It is still under consideration.

("Hansard," page 483, 11th November, 1914.)

Mr. Pigott: Will the Minister for Trade and Customs say what steps his department intend taking in regard to the suspension of the fodder duties? The scarcity of grass has put the farmers into a very deplorable condition, and if the fodder duties could be remitted immediate relief would be given to thousands.

Mr. Tudor: Any decision at which the Government may arrive will be announced, in the first place, in this House, so that no person may gain advance information regarding any alteration of the tariff.

I also notice that Mr. Tudor expresses himself as being greatly alarmed at the decrease of 8,000,000 sheep and 235,012 cattle in Australia for the last two years. Will Mr. Tudor say how much of this loss he himself and the Labour Government have contributed to by their wilful inaction over the fodder duty question? Nero fiddled whilst Rome burned, and it may be said with equal force that Mr. Tudor only considers whilst the flocks and herds of Australia are dying in millions.

HORTICULTURAL DISPLAYS.

A new departure in horticultural displays is proposed in connection with the Queensland National Show. Briefly, it is a competition in the form of district horticultural displays. There are a large number of horticultural societies in and around Brisbane, and a move is on foot to form a governing body on the same lines as the Chamber of Agriculture Societies, which governs the affairs of pastoral and agricultural societies. In nearly every suburb there may be one or two individuals who exhibit at the show, but the great wealth of cottage garden horticulture is never seen by the general public. The idea is to promote exhibits, not from individuals so much as from the districts with which they are connected. The great advantage of such district displays will be understood when it is explained that the flower enthusiast who may have only one pot or one bloom of exceptional merit which he would be diffident about exhibiting on account of the smallness of the display, can come into a district exhibit and help to swell the worth and beauty of the display from his own centre. Such a competition as this would, it is thought, produce an exhibit the like of which has not been seen in Queensland.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

DUNEDOO.—The Minister for Lands, Mr. W. G. Ashford, has been informed by the Public Works Department that the surveyors, who were taken off when war broke out, are to be sent immediately to complete the permanent staking of the cross-country line from Hammond's property, on the Boomley Creek, to Mundooran, thence to the Dunedoo-Coonabarabran line, a distance of nearly 16 miles. It is also stated that instructions have been given the engineer in charge of the line to push on with the laying of the rails. The rails are now laid to within 27 miles of Mundooran. Timber is being cut for the bridge at Elong. The line when completed will pass within a mile of Mundooran, and all the country on the Dunedoo side of Mundooran is now occupied by Crown lease farmers for 10 miles out. From that onwards to Hammond's property at Boomley, the blocks have all been surveyed, and are shortly to be thrown open for occupation, and, as it is good wheat-growing country, it is anticipated that keen competition will take place for the blocks.

MOLONG.—The Molong and Cumnock pastoral and agricultural societies have decided to hold their annual exhibitions as usual, notwithstanding the discontinuance of Government financial assistance. At a meeting of the committee of the Molong society, it was proposed to abandon the show on account of the poor season, the war, and the withdrawal of the Government subsidy, but it was finally agreed to hold the exhibition, the prizes to be slightly reduced, to compensate in some measure for the decreased financial resources. Special appeals are also being made for special prizes. The Cumnock show will be held on Wednesday, March 17, and the Molong show on Wednesday, March 24.

WOLLONGONG.—At the annual meeting of the Horticultural Society, the following were elected officers:—Patron, J. A. Beatson; president, S. R. Musgrave; treasurer, W. R. Thomas; secretary, R. T. White; committee, Burcher, W. Gray, J. H. Brown, G. Sutton, Russel, W. C. Thomas, Jas. Dean, E. Luxworth, C. Leak, and W. Saunders.

BERRY.—At a meeting of Berry Agricultural Society the treasurer submitted a statement showing that the late show resulted in a loss of £35. The prize-money distributed amounted to £298 after the 25 per cent. reduction had been applied all round. The annual general meeting was fixed for April 28.

MILK PRICES RAISED.

MANDURA.—At a meeting of dairy farmers held at the Council-chambers, the proposed rise in the price of milk was discussed.

A representative of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Milk Company explained that it was his company's intention to advance the price of milk to producers from 8d to 9d a gallon from March 5, but that the price to consumers would not be increased. The Fresh Food and Ice Company had also agreed to raise the price to suppliers to 9d, and not to alter retail prices. Suppliers to the Dairy Farmers' Milk Company were very dissatisfied on learning that this company had refused to advance the price to producers, at present.

P.P. BOARDS.

CARCOAR.—At the last meeting of the Carcoar Pastures Protection Board, accounts included bonus payments on 767 crows and 14 hawks. The Dubbo Board wrote, asking co-operation in a scheme submitted by them for the management of T.S.R's. and C.R's. by the boards, in the event of these reserves being handed over to the boards. This board in the main agreed with the scheme, but suggested that it be brought before the next conference for fuller discussion and criticism. The Eden Board was granted co-operation in a resolution asking the Government to include in its amendments of the Act that where holdings are wire-netted along a main road, owners be exempt from destroying rabbits and noxious weeds on same, which was considered the duty of shire councils.

NARRANDERA.—In his report to the P. P. Board, Stock-inspector Faulkner reported having investigated an outbreak of disease in cattle near Ardlethan. He found that the animal, a cow, was affected with tuberculosis, and had it destroyed. The rabbit inspectors reported that rabbits were decreasing.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

BATHURST.—Bathurst orchardists are suffering considerably from starlings. Mr. E. K. Wolstenholme, of Montavala, one of the worst sufferers, has poisoned a number of apples with strychnine in order to beat the imported pest.

BERRY.—The hon. secretary of the Berry Agricultural Society has received a communication from the secretary of the Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales, requesting that a delegate be sent to a conference, to be held in Sydney during Easter week, for the purpose of considering a suggestion that the Milking Shorthorn and Illawarra Dairy Cattle Breeding Societies be amalgamated; also that one society be requested to recognise one breed.

BROKEN HILL.—During the year 1914 the Menindie Pastures Protection Board paid out £280 10s for native dogs' scalps, being 561 at 10s each.

CARCOAR.—Stock are losing condition, but are not as poor as one would expect after such a spell of dry, hot weather. Rabbits are numerous in parts. Poisoning has been fairly successful wherever carried out in a systematic manner.

CULCAIRN.—At the annual meeting of Culcairn Farmers and Settlers' Association the following officers were elected:—President, Mr. H. J. Moss (re-elected); vice-presidents, Messrs. E. F. Schultz and J. Schoff; secretary, F. Cahill; treasurer, L. Newton; auditor, W. G. Balfour; delegates to district council, Messrs. H. J. Moss, H. Lowe, and R. C. Odewahn.

DAIRYING.

LISMORE.—At the half-yearly meeting of the Lismore Dairy Company reports showed that 555 tons had been manufactured, being an increase of 95½ tons on the corresponding period last year. Suppliers were paid an average of 9.76d per lb, against 10.16d per lb for the same period last year. The cost of manufacturing, including export charges, was 1.47d per lb. Profit and loss account showed a credit of £624.

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

OBERON.

BATHURST.—Following are the final awards in connection with the Oberon show:—

Pony Trot, in saddle, 1 mile, for ponies under 14 hands: R. Lambert (Graham), 1; W. H. Shute (O. Martin), 2. Best lady rider: Mr. W. Hawkes. Best sulky turnout: T. Hartland, 1; J. T. Bryant, 2. Hunters' Plate: Kirk and Thomas' Collingwood, 1; Kirk and Thomas' Blue Spec, 2. Pony hunter, 14 hands or under, over jumps 3ft: W. J. Brown, Alf. Webb, and J. Thomas, divided. Pair buggy horses: Armstrong and Armstrong. All Comers' Handicap Trot, for all horses, trotters, or pacers, handicapped to trot 2.50 or better, 1½m: G. Morgan, 1; F. F. Armstrong, 2. Local hunters: A. E. Wilcox, 1; Thomas and Kirk, 2. All Comers' Handicap Trot, horses handicapped to trot 2.45, 1½m, with not less than 10st: F. Armstrong, 1; G. Morgan, 2. Local trot, in saddle (limit 50s), for all horses within a radius of 20 miles of Oberon: H. C. Cunninghame, 1; T. F. Armstrong, 2. Maiden hunter: J. Thomas, 1; R. D. Whalan, 2. High jump: Thomas and Kirk's Collingwood and Blue Spec, divided.

MOSS VALE.

MOSS VALE.—Berrima District A.H. and I. Society Show was continued on Saturday in hot weather. An attractive programme was presented, and the attendance was good. The takings for the three days exceeded those of last year. Results:—

Horse and sulky turnout: J. G. Breen, 1; G. Tulse, 2. District hunt final: W. Mitchell 1, 2, and 3. Walking pony: J. Chittick. Maiden sulky turnout: A. M. Smith. Lady driver: Miss Minter, 1; Mrs. Bowmer Smythe, 2. Flag race for boys: S. Wheeler, 1; W. Shipley, 2. Consolation district hunt: H. Wilson, 1; J. Chittick, 2. Consolation pony jump: W. T. Mitchell, 1; J. Chittick, 2. Local farmers' trot: J. J. Flood, 1; J. Nelson, 2. Tug-of-war: Moss Vale team, 1; Railway, 2. Tip dray turnout: R. G. Walker. Melon race: J. Chittick, 1; F. Wallis, 2.

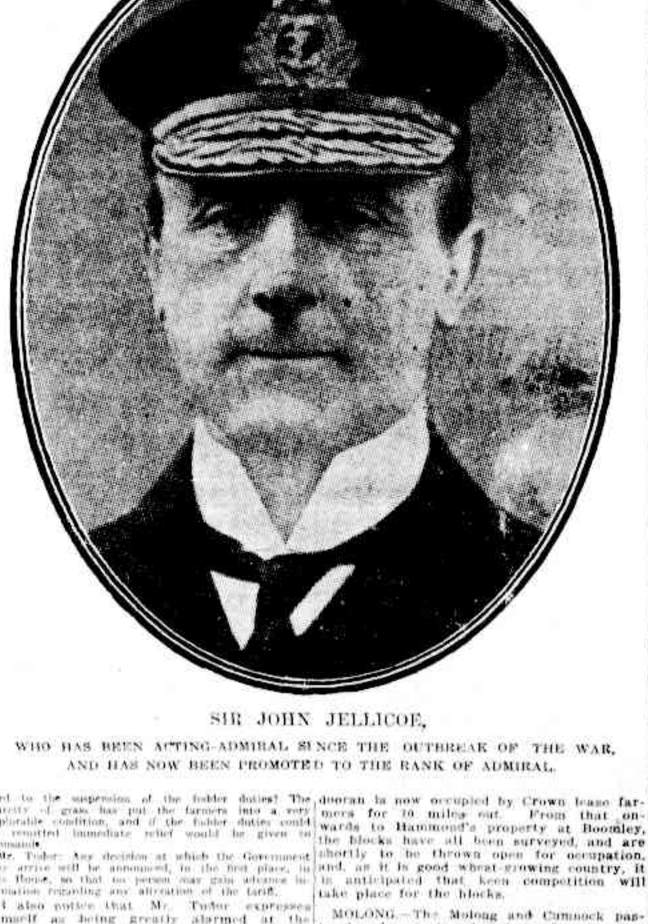
AGISTMENT OF CATTLE.

The taking in of other people's cattle to graze in paddocks at a certain rate per week is very common in this State. It is not generally known that a person taking in cattle for agistment has no right to retain possession of them in the event of failure on the part of the owner to pay the agistment fees, in the absence of special agreement. To get over this difficulty, an agreement is come to between the parties, in which it is agreed that no animals shall be removed until payment in respect of their pasturage shall have been made. Further, it is agreed that the agistor shall have a general lien upon the whole of the animals of the stockowner upon the land for any sum for the time being owing for pasturage, and such lien may be enforced by the sale by auction or private contract of any animal or animals for the time being upon such land. Another important point is that agisted animals are not privileged from distress from rent. In other words, cattle found on rented premises, whether belonging to a stranger or not, may be seized by the landlord. In England, this state of things has, to a large extent, been altered. The law there provides that agricultural or other machinery on hire, and live stock on hire for breeding purposes, are to be absolutely exempt from distress, and that agisted cattle, where a fair price is paid by the owner, are to be exempted conditionally; that is, in case other sufficient distrainable goods should be on the premises, and even where distrainable, only for the amount due to the tenant from the owner for their keep.

EXLOSIVES DEMONSTRATION.

The Department of Agriculture advises that Mr. C. W. Burrows will conduct an explosives demonstration at Batlow on Wednesday, March 10, under the auspices of the local branch of the Agricultural Bureau.

NAVAL COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.



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SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Entries for the Kembla Grange racing fixture of the 16th inst. close at 4 p.m. to-day, with the secretary, Mr. A. H. Hart. The prize money totals 320 sovs, of which 70 sovs go to the St. Patrick's Day Handicap, and 50 sovs to each of the other races.

The weights for the opening day of the Rosehill autumn meeting next Saturday are promised to-day, as are the adjustments for the A.J.C. Doncaster Handicap and Sydney Cup, the principal handicap events in connection with the autumn meeting.

The Wyong Park Trotting and Pony Club holds a meeting this afternoon, and metropolitan visitors will, in addition to the ordinary train services, leaving for the north at 6.40 and 9.20 a.m., be provided with special trains leaving the Central Railway Station at 10.15 (horses and passengers) and 10.40 a.m. (passengers only). The track is reported to be good going, and interesting sport is promised. The first race starts at 1.30 p.m.

For the Flying Mile at Canterbury Park, on Saturday, 11 contestants were listed, but, within the regulation time, only two—Sanguine and Brundee Lad—were left to do battle for the prize. Sanguine, on whom M. Connell, has the mount, was always an odds-on favourite, and at the last moment the bookmakers demanded 3 to 1. The pair raced together for about three furlongs, then the favourite asserted himself, and the issue was not afterwards in doubt.

Up to 5 p.m. to-day, entries will be received by the secretary, Mr. J. Underhill, for the pony and galloway race meeting to be held at Rosebery on Saturday next. The prize money aggregates 700 sovs, equally distributed over seven events.

The Riding Master mare, Gianetta, was sent out a pronounced favourite for the Park Stakes in a field of 17 at Canterbury Park on Saturday, the best-backed of her opponents being Porter and Toybe. Porter and Miss Petrillo, who made most of the running, turned for home with the favourite and Toybee in pursuit, and the latter, finishing resolutely, had the measure of the opposition at the half-distance, and scored from Porter, while the favourite was beaten out of a situation. The winner was bred at the Wattle Vale stud, Wagga, by Mr. J. J. M'Grath, and is by Little Toy from Niobe, by Oudies from Latona, by Moorthorpe.

Sires' honours in connection with the V.R.C. Autumn meeting go to the imported horse, The Welkin, whose representatives, Two, Colingo, and Achernar, won the Champagne Stakes, Hopeful Stakes, and Elms Handicap, respectively; second honours were disputed by Bobadil, Royal Artillery, Go Ahead, Traquair, and Earlston, with two winning representatives each; while sires each represented by one winner are Carbinier, Mountain King, Linacre, The Scribe, Maltster, United States, Wallace, Duke of Milton, Charlemagne II., Pistol, and Llangibby.

In a field of eight for the Stewards' Mile at Canterbury Park on Saturday, the Ruenalf gelding, Balustrade, was backed as "if 'twas all over bar shouting," and a shade of odds-on was demanded by the ringmen at barrier rise, Hot Cake being best backed of the others. The best-supported pair had the finish to themselves, and Hot Cake, who took command in the first furlong, maintained it to the finish, though he had a very close call from the favourite, who came very fast from the home turn, and failed to get up by a head. The winner was bred by Mr. T. Payten, and is by imported Ritchie from Pancake, by Gratton (imp.) from Piecrust, by Martini Henry, and he carried a 7lb penalty for his success at Gosford on the previous Tuesday.

The most successful horseman at the V.R.C. Autumn meeting was J. Killorn, who steered four winners—Red Signal in the Sires' Produce Stakes, Land of Song in the Essendon Stakes, Colingo in the Hopeful Stakes, and Onazer in the Autumn Handicap; R. Lewis followed with three successes, on Two in the Ascot Vale Stakes, Jaunt in the Junior Handicap, and Achernar in the Elms Handicap; W. M'Lachlan, W. Smart, A. Hawkins, G. Lambert, and K. Bracken had two winning rides each; while those to score a single were C. Boyd, A. Callinan, A. Bird, A. Renny, R. N. Smart, P. Kelly, and W. Foulsham.

The Three Years Old Handicap, for which a dozen were stripped at Canterbury Park on Saturday, was voted a good thing for Merriwee, a filly owned and trained by H. J. Robinson; and so it proved. She was one of the first to get going, but, after a furlong had been cast behind, Wyadra, who also got good support in the betting market, took up the running which he carried on to the distance, where Merriwee and Mythic joined in, and in a rattling finish the favourite beat Mythic by a neck, while Wyadra tired out of it at the half-distance, and did not get a place. Merriwee was bred by Mr. Jos. Brown, and is by Persian Knight (imp.) from Sway, by Pilgrim's Progress (imp.) from Swing, by St. Albans, and this was her second success under colours.

Euretta, who secured the Gibson-Carmichael Stakes at Flemington on Saturday, is a Combadello-bred colt, by Earlston (imp.) from Miss Symington (imp.), by Symington, and cost 340 guineas as a yearling at the Randwick sales.

Magas, who secured the February Handicap at Moorefield a fortnight previously, was again successful at Canterbury Park last Saturday, in the principal event, for which half a score faced the music. Though encumbered with top weight (9st), Magas started favourite, and was patiently ridden by M. Connell. Silver Grain, Busra, and It's Funny formed the leading division to the home turn, where Silver Grain melted out of it, leaving Busra in command. When fairly in line for home Magas and It's Funny ran past Busra, and fought out a resolute finish, which resulted in favour of the top weight by a narrow margin.

Trainers divided their patronage between the magpie grass track and the tan at Randwick on Saturday morning, and, owing to the dry spell both were in favour of the watch, though few horses attempted time-making gallops. Among the exceptions were Narivo and Le'a, who ran a mile in 1m 46s, the former finishing in front; and Beck's Lager left nine furlongs behind in 2m 8¾s; a distance which Simon Frisco was not fully extended to cover in 2m 10s. Maltasia sprinted five furlongs in 1m 6s, and Lugard ran six in 1m 20s. Cisco did a useful gallop over a similar distance, and Taunter was treated to in half-pacing. Beau Soult, who has been long on the easy list, was bracketed with Royal Rufus for a mile on the tan, and defeated his companion in 1m 46¼s. Useful work was executed by St. Spasa, Secret Service, Tartanus, Herringbone, and Gira. Sir Alwyngton did some half-pacing and Ulva's Isle wound up long, steady work with a three-furlongs sprint.

The Earlston mare Legero commanded most attention in the market for the Welter Handicap at Canterbury Park on Saturday, while the others to receive some support were Moving Picture, Uralsk, Merv Lad, Cool Air, and Guncar, the others being unmarketable. Guncar set the pace for a couple of furlongs; then, Moving Picture ran to the front, and the pair, in order, with Ligero just in their wake, turned for home. There Merv Lad on the outside put in an appearance, and, finishing in fine style, had the opposition in difficulties ere the distance was reached, and, drawing away, scored easily from the favourite and Cool Air, who were separated by a narrow margin.

The racing ponies Queen Royal, Gordon Boy, Boxer, Lady Lonsdale, Amiella, and Straight Shot have arrived from Melbourne in charge of E. M. Doyle.

The Richmond Pony Club is out with its programme for the meeting to be held on the Londonderry racecourse on the 22nd inst., and for which prize money totalling 158 sovs has been provided for the half-dozen events, the best endowed of which is the Richmond Handicap of 50 sovs. Entries close with the secretary, Mr. G. N. Kilduff, at the office of the club, 13 Elizabeth-street, city, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 15th inst., and the weights are promised three days later.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. have issued their catalogue of thoroughbred yearlings to be brought under the hammer on the 6th and 7th prox.—during the currency of the A.J.C. Autumn meeting. There are 211 lots listed, 46 sires being represented.

The secretary of the Newcastle Jockey Club announces the programme for the March meeting on the 20th inst. The half-dozen items on the card carry in the aggregate 650 sovs prize money, and entries will be received by Mr. J. Grisdale up to 8 p.m. on Monday, the 15th instant.

At the annual meeting of the members of the Richmond River Turf Club the following committee was elected:—Messrs. W. C. Barnes, H. S. Barnes, H. Wallace, J. H. M'Dougall, H. Braine, G. McCartney, F. G. Fanning, E. M. Geikie, W. G. Simpson, L. W. Devlin, and H. J. Kearns.

SALE OF BLOOD STOCK.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

Messrs. William C. Yuille and Co. held a sale of stallions, brood mares, and untried racing stock at Newmarket yesterday. There was a moderate attendance, and the proceedings were lifeless owing to the absence of competition. During the afternoon 37 lots changed hands for 2662½ guineas.

The principal sales effected were:—Piamni, bay colt, by Positano—Fides, one year, P. Barrett, Adelaide, 270 guineas; chestnut filly by Wallace—Cruciform, two years, John Tyson, 500 guineas; Marie Hall, with colt foal by St. Anton, and served by Pistol, H. R. Denison (N.S.W.), 175 guineas; Silvana, with colt foal by The Inquisitor, John M'Donald, (N.S.W.), 80 guineas; Audacity, J. H. Barnes, Queensland, 475 guineas; William of Orange, A. J. Gray, Greenvale, 225 guineas.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Though in many respects the V.R.C. Autumn Meeting was successful, there were some unsatisfactory features about it. The chief of these was the inconsistent form displayed. There has probably never been a meeting at headquarters at which the form was so hard to follow. All things considered, backers were lucky to get out of the meeting as well as they did.

The general topic of conversation throughout the meeting was the failure of the stipendiary stewards to take immediate official notice of the inconsistent form and the indifferent jockeyship. It is not necessarily a reflection on an owner, trainer, or rider to hold an inquiry. There was possibly a good explanation for every case of inconsistent racing at the meeting. Some owners court an inquiry where the form of their horses appears inconsistent. The stipendiary stewards may have good grounds for knowing that there was nothing wrong about the cases of in and out running, but to the racing public, who provide the money to keep the sport going, the form was at times inexplicable. That the stipendiary system of stewards is an improvement on the old style is generally admitted, but the present stipendiary stewards would give a good deal more satisfaction were they to institute formal inquiries on the course where the cause of a reversal of form is not readily apparent.

In the aggregate, the takings at the meeting failed by a small amount to come up to last year's. The added money this year was £1750 less than last year, so that a profit should be shown on the meeting that has just concluded.

Though Carlita, the winner of the Champion Stakes, has taken only six races, she has won £7993 in stakes.

Mr. E. E. D. Clarke's imported horse, The Welkin, had more winners at the meeting than any other sire, Two, Colugo, and Achernar each taking a race for him. Bobadil had two winners—Blague and Thraso, the former appropriating the biggest prize at the meeting, that associated with the Newmarket Handicap. Royal Artillery had two winners, in Winnipeg and Onazer; while Earlston (imp.) had two in Hayston and Euretta. Traquette won two races for the defunct Traquair, while Go-Ahead sired El Progreso, the winner of two steeplechases. Mountain Knight won the St. Leger for Mountain King, and the imported horse, The Scribe, had a good winner in Lempriere, who took the Australian Cup.

Though he did not shine in the Loch Plate, J. Killorn had the best riding record at the meeting. He rode four winners—Red Signal, Land of Song, Colugo, and Onazer—and he was second on four other occasions. R. Lewis rode three winners—Two, Jaunt, and Achernar; and W. H. M'Lachlan, W. Smart, K. Bracken, A. Hawkins, and G. Lambert two each.

The most successful trainers were A. Skirving and J. Scobie, with three winners each; but Skirving's races, viz., Newmarket Handicap, Loch Plate, and March Nursery, were in the aggregate more valuable than Scobie's three, the Ascot Vale Stakes, Junior Handicap, and Elms Handicap. C. Wheeler had two good winners in Red Signal and Land of Song; P. T. Heywood took two important races with Traquette; and A. J. Lord, the two steeplechases with El Progreso.

CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.

MARCH MEETING.

SANGUINE WINS FLYING MILE.

MAGAS, THE CANTERBURY HANDICAP.

Despite the counter attractions on Saturday, there was a good attendance at the March reunion of the Canterbury Park Race Club. The weather was fine, but seasonably hot; the track excellent going, and the sport, which was of an interesting character, was free from serious accident; and there was little to engage the attention of the stipendiary stewards. The running of Moonbria in the Canterbury Handicap was the subject of investigation, but though the officials deemed that he was ridden a bad race, they regarded him as a very difficult horse to handle, and exonerated his apprentice rider, H. Reardon, expressing the opinion that Moonbria would do better in the hands of a more experienced horseman. The omission to either scratch or start Royal Althea in the Three-year-old Handicap was also the subject of inquiry, but, in the absence of the owner, the matter was adjourned. The battle between backers and layers resulted in favour of the former, as favourites or well-backed horses were successful right through the programme. The general arrangements were efficiently supervised by the secretary, Mr. W. L. Davis. The details of the racing are appended:—

FLYING MILE, handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 20 sovs, and third horse 5 sovs from the prize.

Mr. J. Sottero's blk g Sanguine, by Holbrook—Confidence, aged, 8st 3lb (M. O'Connell) 1
Mr. A. Gollan's ch h Brundee Lad, all. 5lb, carr. 8st 11lb (W. Dawson) 2

Betting: 3 to 1 on Sanguine, 5 to 2 v Brundee Lad.

They ran together for the first couple of furlongs, then Sanguine took command, and, opening up a lead of two lengths at the far corner, came on and won easily by three lengths. Time, 1m 43s.

PARK STAKES, handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 20 sovs, third horse 5 sovs from the prize, 6f.

Mr. F. Hocking's br c Toybe, by Little Toy—Niobe, 3yrs, all. 5lb, carr. 7st 9lb (W. Dawson) ... 1
Mr. "Russell Arthur's" b g Porter, aged, 7st 3lb (G. Meddick) ... 2
Mr. E. E. A. Oatley's b g Upheaval, 3yrs, 6st 9lb, inc. 2lb over (W. McCabe) ... 3

Other starters: Gianetta, 9st (P. Maher); Denerville, [illegible] (L. Curran); Monte Collare, [illegible] (W. Barnett); Prince Alfonso, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 5lb (T. Rice); [illegible], 7st 6lb (E. Duncan); Miss Dolores, 7st 9lb (W. Gay); Miss Petrillo, all. 7lb, carr. 7st (C. Henley); Sir Rourray, 7st 6lb (R. Dickson); Lady Linacre, 7st 4lb (M. Harris); Annex, all. 7lb, carr. 6st 9lb (R. Maxwell); Granville, 7st 2lb (J. Reynolds); [illegible]; Goree, [illegible] (C. Barden); Short Circuit, 7st 1lb, [illegible] (G. Pinn).

Betting: 2 to 1 v Gianetta, 6 to 1 v Porter, 8 to 1 each v Toybe, Monte Collare, Granville, Short Circuit, Upheaval, and Goree, 20 to 1 each v others.

Porter and Monte Collare were the smartest off the mark, but at the end of the first furlong Miss Petrillo was in charge from Porter, Gianetta, Upheaval, and Lady Linacre. That order was maintained along the back stretch to the bend, where Porter and Miss Petrillo were disputing the lead just in advance of Granville, Upheaval, and Gianetta. Porter turned for home with Miss Petrillo, Gianetta, Toybe, and Upheaval in pursuit. At the distance, Gianetta and Toybe were fighting it out in front, but the latter took charge at the half-distance, and won by a length from Porter, who was a similar distance in front of Upheaval. Miss Petrillo and Gianetta were close up next, followed by Short Circuit, Annex, and Granville, with Miss Dolores last. Time, 1m 15½s.

STEWARDS' MILE, handicap of 100 sovs; second horse 20 sovs, and third horse 5 sovs from the prize.

Mr. H. J. Pick's b g Hot Cake, by Ritchie (imp.)—Pancake, 5yrs, 7st 12lb, including 7lb penalty (P. Maher) ... 1
Mr. I. H. Andrew's br g Balustrade, 5yrs, 9st 3lb (M. Connell) ... 2
Mr. J. Fowler's b m Memeret, aged, 8st (J. Richardson) ... 3

Other starters: Mandowa, 9st 8lb (L. Walker); Hallmark, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (R. Smith); Petrillia, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 5lb (A. Smith); Osmo, 8st, including 2lb over (J. M'Keown); Rubecula, 7st 7lb (J. Townsend).

Betting: 5 to 4 on Balustrade, 4 to 1 v Hot Cake, 8 to 1 each v Petrillia and Mandowa, 20 to 1 each v the others.

Mandowa, Hot Cake, and Osmo were the first to show out, but passing the stand Hot Cake had Osmo at his girths, and they were followed by Petrillia, Mandowa, and Rubecula. Hot Cake drew out a length as they raced down hill from Osmo and Memeret, after whom came Petrillia, Rubecula, and Mandowa. Without change they ran to the far corner, and round the bend, and Hot Cake turned into the straight followed by Memeret, with Balustrade coming fast on the outside. Balustrade tackled Hot Cake at the distance, whence the pair fought out an exciting finish, but the favourite could not get up by a head. Memeret was three lengths off third, succeeded by Mandowa, Osmo, Petrillia, and Rubecula, with Hallmark last. Time, 1m 43½s.

THREE-YEARS-OLD HANDICAP, of 100 sovs, second horse 20 sovs, third horse 5 sovs from the prize. 6f.

Mr. H. J. Robinson's b f Merrimee, by Persian Knight (imp.)—Sway, all. 5lb, carr. 7st 12lb (M. Harris) 1
Mr. G. Garnham's b f Mythic, 3yrs, all. 5lb, carr. 7st 4lb (H. Reardon) ... 2
Mrs. Whitehouse's b c Prince Palatine, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (R. Maxwell) ... 3

Other starters: Wyadra, 9st 7lb (W. Lillyman); Foil, 8st 8lb (S. Lamond); Cacus, 8st 5lb (R. Dickson); [illegible]; Valerie O, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 4lb (C. Barden); Queenlike, [illegible] all. 5lb, carr. 7st 4lb (F. Foley); Brinsmead, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 3lb, inc. 1lb over (R. Ney); [illegible], 7st 7lb (L. Walker); Antepois, all. 3lb, carr. 7st 4lb (W. Hincks); Diotis, 7st 1lb, inc. 5lb over (G. Pinn).

Betting: 6 to 4 v Merrimee, 4 to 1 v Mythic, 5 to 1 v Cacus, [illegible] to 1 v Wyadra, 14 to 1 v Foil, 20 to 1 each v others.

Foil, Wyadra, and Cacus jumped out in front, but ere half a furlong had been covered Merrimee [illegible] Cacus and Wyadra were in line, followed by Merrimee and Mythic. A little further on, Wyadra drew clear, and showed the way past the far corner and round the bend by a couple of lengths from Cacus and Merrimee, after whom came Foil and Mythic. Wyadra turned for home a couple of lengths clear from Merrimee and Mythic, and Wyadra was still in front at the distance, where the favourite on the outside tackled him, and the son of Orzil tiring fast, Merrimee and Mythic fought out the finish, the former winning by a neck, with Prince Palatine a similar distance away third. Brinsmead, Wyadra, Foil, and Valerie O followed in order, with Diotis last. Time, 1m 15¼s.

CANTERBURY HANDICAP, of 125 sovs, second horse 20 sovs, third horse 10 sovs from the prize. 1¼m and 100yds.

Mr. T. D'Earth's b h Magas, by Flavus (imp.)—Maggie, aged, 9st (M'Connell) ... 1
Mr. Neil McKenna's ch g It's Funny, 6yrs, 8st 6lb (Gillespie) ... 2
Mr. A. Bulgowan's b g Busra, aged, 8st 8lb, inc. 1lb over (R. Cain) ... 3

Other starters: Silver Grain, 8st 11lb (A. Wood); Moonbria, all. 5lb, carr. 8st 2lb (H. Reardon); Poesy, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 6lb (F. Foley); Pan Out, 6st 8lb, inc. 1lb over (W. McCabe); Miss Hook, 6st 11lb, inc. 4lb over (H. Curran); Hardy Norseman, 6st 7lb (G. Meddick); Miss Collar, 6st 7lb (C. Barden).

Betting: 5 to 2 v Magas, 5 to 1 each v It's Funny and Moonbria, 6 to 1 v Silver Grain, 7 to 1 v Poesy, 8 to 1 v Hardy Norseman, 20 to 1 each v others.

Silver Grain took charge at the rise of the barrier, and came round the bend and into the straight followed by It's Funny, Miss Collar, and Busra. Silver Grain rattled past the judge's box with It's Funny at her heels; then came Busra, Poesy, Pan Out, and Miss Hook. Silver Grain showed the way down the hill and along the back to the far corner, where Busra got on terms, and they were succeeded by It's Funny, Hardy Norseman, and Magas, and so they came round the bend. Silver Grain was done at the turn for home, and Busra was left in charge from Magas, but he was soon passed by the topweight and It's Funny, who battled out the finish, the former scoring by a head; Busra being three lengths away, followed by Moonbria, Poesy, Silver Grain, and Hardy Norseman, in order, with Miss Hook whipping in. Time, 2m 17¼s.

WELTER HANDICAP, of 100 sovs; second horse 20 sovs, third horse 5 sovs from the prize.—6f.

Messrs. R. W. McFayden' and W. Gibbs' ch g Merv Lad, by Merv (imp.)—Carolina, aged, 8st 9lb (G. Whitehall) ... 1
Mr. F. C. Trautwein's ch m Ligero, 5yrs, 10st 6lb (M. Connell) ... 2
Mr. E. F. Walker's ch g Cool Air, 6yrs, 9st 11lb (J. Townsend) ... 3

Other starters: Guncar, 10st 12lb (L. Walker); Moving Picture, 10st 2lb (W. Barnett), Count Andria, 9st 3lb (A. Hyland); Uralsk, 9st 3lb (W. McCabe); Fizzing, 9st 2lb (W. Gay); Prince Ruenalf, 9st (A. Wood); Lord Rouvray, all. 5lb, carr 8st 9lb (W. Dawson); Value (imp.), 9st (W. Lillyman); Lord Emly, 9st 12lb (A. Callinan); Ruenalf Maid, 8st 10lb (H. Malcolm); Lady Blacksand (imp.), 8st 10lb (R. Abbott); Avenir, 8st 7lb (J. Lighttoot); Insular, all. 2lb, carr 8st 4lb (B. Smith); Attaca, all. 2lb, carr 8st 4lb (W. Hincks).

Betting: 3 to 1 v Ligero, 4 to 1 each v Moving Picture and Uralsk, 6 to 1 each v Merv Lad and Cool Air, 7 to 1 v Guncar, 20 to 1 each v others.

Guncar moved off in front, and with Moving Picture, Ruenalf Maid, and Cool Air in his wake, set the pace to the far corner, where Moving Picture ran to the front, and came round the bend half a length from Guncar, Ligero, and Cool Air, with Merv Lad at the head of others; and, coming fast, Moving Picture turned for home followed by Guncar, Ligero, and Merv Lad. The last-named finishing with great resolution, took charge inside the distance, and coming on, won by three lengths from the favourite, who was a neck in advance of Cool Air, Uralsk, Moving Picture, Guncar, and Lord Emly followed the placed horses, with Attaca last. Lord Rouvray lost his rider soon after the rise of the barrier. Time, 1m 16s.

ASCOT RACING CLUB.

Commencing at 12.30, the programme at Ascot on Saturday was extended to 12 races. Four sprints over four furlongs were necessary to decide the Maiden Handicap. Resolved won the Ascot Handicap. Details:—

Flying Handicap of 100 sovs, second 15, and third 10 sovs from the prize, 6f.—First division: Hot Air, by Ayr Laddie (imp.)—Miss Gratton, aged, [illegible] (T. Moulden), 1; Yamba, 8st 9lb (E. Tasko), 2; Georgeela, 8st (A. Kerrigan), 3. Other starters: Dormer, 8st 2lb; Clarence, 8st 11lb; Thelma C., all. 7lb, carr. 7st 2lb; Lady Rouvray, 7st 13lb, inc. 3lb over; Try Again, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 2lb; Landline, 7st 9lb; Tandy, 7st 9lb; Some Day, 7st 11lb, inc. 2lb over; Vocalist, 7st 7lb; The Soother, 7st 7lb; Doughboy, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 3lb, inc. 7lb over. Betting: 6 to 4 on Hot Air, 5 to 1 v Yamba, 8 to 1 v Georgeela, 12 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by two lengths. Time, 48s. Second division: Fairy Lad, by Antonio (imp.)—Fairy Queen, 5yrs, 8st (A. Kerrigan), 1; Rosebrook, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (H. Griffiths), 2; Golden Gauntlet, 7st 12lb (T. Thompson), 3. Other starters: Teralba, 8st; Homo, 8st 11lb, inc. 2lb over; Kingfield, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 6lb; Lizzie Wausen, 8st 11lb, inc. 2lb over; Moorhill, 7st 12lb; Brownie, 7st 12lb; Lord Faith, 8st, inc. 2lb over; Lepta, 7st 12lb; Daisy Picker, 8st, inc. 2lb over; Can't Tell, 7st 12lb; Gamelea, 7st 12lb; Bonnie Nuit, 7st 12lb. Betting: Even money on Fairy Lad, 7 to 2 v Rosebrook, 8 to 1 each v Golden Gauntlet and Moorhill, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 50s.

Fourteen-one Handicap of 100 sovs, second 15, and third 10 sovs from the prize, 5f.—Iona, by Spendthrift—Ivena, aged, 9st 2lb (H. Watterson), 1; Hauriant, 9st 3lb (T. Taylor), 2; Wee Loch, 8st 7lb (B. Porter), 3. Other starters: Morpeth, 10st 5lb; Mary, 8st 10lb; Little Jack, 8st 7lb; Miss Cat'ran, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 11lb; Deloraine, 7st 7lb; Swanhaven, all. 7lb, carr. 7st. Betting: 5 to 2 each v Wee Loch and Hauriant, 5 to 1 each v Iona and Morpeth, 8 to 1 v Little Jack, 10 to 15 to 1 v others. Won by a length and three-quarters. Time, 1m 3¾s.

Maiden Handicap of 100 sovs, second 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 4f.—First division: Crown Gem, by Riding Master (imp.)—Positano mare, 4yrs, 7st 11lb (W. Thompson), 1; Lady Merv, 7st 11lb (G. Willist), 2; Lady Iris, 7st 12lb (T. Moulden), 3. Other starters: Royal Glory, 8st 7lb; Fertile, 8st 7lb; Ambercina, 8st 7lb; Mesaba, 8st 5lb; Pymble, all. 7lb, car. 7st 10lb; Mimer's Daughter, 8st 3lb; Plutocrat, 8st; Stimulus, 7st 12lb; Bronze Ray, all. 7lb, car. 7st 7lb, inc. 2lb over; Mona Sahib, 7st 12lb; Lady Lena, 7st 12lb; Ulavine, 7st 10lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Crown Gem, 3 to 1 v Lady Merv, 4 to 1 v Lady Iris, 7 to 1 v Royal Glory, 8 to 1 each v Plutocrat and Stimulus, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by three-quarters of a length. Time, 50½s. Second division: Cipros Queen, by Moorefield—Florrie, 3yrs, 8st 3lb (W. Murray), 1; Ina M., 8st 3lb (B. Rigney), 2; Head Mistress, 8st (A. Kerrigan), 3. Other starters: St. Kyren, 8st 3lb; Voiceful, 8st 3lb; Mount Lebanon, 8st 8lb; Lady Francis, 8st 2lb; The Gamester, 8st 2lb; Saltator, 8st; Phast Mona, 8st; Antwerp, 8st; Zythum, 8st; Sunny Ridge, 8st; Prince Famous, 7st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Ina M., 5 to 1 v Sunny Ridge, 6 to 1 each v The Gamester and Mount Lebanon, 7 to 1 v Zythum, 8 to 1 each v Phast Mona and Head Mistress, 12 to 1 v Chorus Queen, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by half a length. Time, 50½s. Third division: Mountaineer, by Newhaven—Alps (imp.), all. 7lb, car. 7st 7lb (J. Varley), 1; Selmoor, 7st 12lb (G. Moy), 2; Lady Sylvia, 7st 12lb (H. Dove), 3. Other starters: Lindsay Gordon, 8st; Bunty, all. 7lb, car 7st 7lb; Hops, 8st; Myree, 8st; Eucharina, 8st; Miranda, 8st; Parsing, 7st 12lb; Bombira, 7st 12lb; Loch Famous, 7st 12lb; First Thought, 7st 12lb; Brewery Girl, 7st 12lb. Betting: 6 to 4 v Lady Sylvia, 9 to 2 v Mountaineer, 6 to 1 each v Selmoor and Loch Famous, 7 to 1 v Hops, 8 to 1 v Brewery Girl, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by six lengths. Time, 51s. Run off: Mountaineer (Varley), 1; Chorus Queen (W. Murray), 2; Crown Gem (W. Townsend), 3. Betting: 5 to 4 on Mountaineer, 5 to 4 v Crown Gem, 5 to 1 v Chorus Queen. Won by two lengths. Time, 51s.

Welter Handicap, of 100 sovs, second 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 6f.—First Division: Trustworthy, by Trusting Cup (imp.)—Lady Correen, aged, 9st (F. Connelly), 1; Lady Whitton, 8st 2lb (H. Graham), 2; Alfana, 8st (T. Thompson), 3. Other starters: Wee Bob, 9st 10lb; Troon, 8st 13lb; Fortune Hunter, 8st 10lb; Superb, 8st 9lb; Clymus, 8st 9lb; The Sheave, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 11lb; Pensa, 8st 4lb; Not There, 8st 2lb. Betting: 6 to 4 v Superb, 3 to 1 v Wee Bob, 6 to 1 v Trustworthy, 7 to 1 v Troon, 10 to 1 v Lady Whitton, 12 to 1 v Alfana, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a head. Time, 1m 17s. Second division: Harbour, by Midshipman—Plain Kate, aged, 8st 7lb (F. Dwyer), 1; The Rose, 8st 7lb (G. Moy), 2; Eastertide, 8st 7lb (T. Moulden), 3. Other starters: Null, 8st 7lb; Jindy Mack, 8st 7lb; Trestamo, 8st 7lb; Ialoch, 8st 7lb; The Artist, all. 7lb, carr. 8st; Sarrana, 8st 7lb; Hurunui, 8st 7lb; Te Kaharangi, all. 7lb, carr. 8st. Betting: 2 to 1 v Null, 4 to 1 v Harbour, 6 to 1 each v Eastertide and Ialoch, 7 to 1 each v The Artist and Jindy Mack, 10 to 1 v The Rose, 10 to 12 to 1 v others. Won by three-quarters of a length. Time, 1m 18s.

Fourteen Hands Handicap, of 100 sovs, second 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 4f.—Lord Hope, by Sir Aymer (imp.)—dam unknown, 4yrs, all. 7lb, carr. 7st 7lb (R. Perry), 1; Malster, 11st 4lb (F. Connelly), 2; Green and White, 8st 3lb (G. Moy), 3. Other starters: Themla, 10st 4lb; Sir Moorefield, 9st 10lb; Green Rose, 8st 12lb; Mr Dooa, 8st 7lb; Mary Wimer, 7st 7lb; La Rose, 7st 7lb; Lady Athol, 7st 7lb; Roseferat, 7st 10lb, inc. 2lb over; Lady Peggy, 7st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v Malster, 5 to 1 v Lord Hope, 6 to 1 v Sir Moorefield, 7 to 1 v Mary Wimer, 15 to 1 v Green and White, 15 to 20 to 1 v others.

Fourteen-two Handicap, of 100 sovs, second 15, and third 10 sovs from the prize, 4f.—Master Merv, by Moorefield—[illegible] mare, 5yrs, 7st 7lb (T. Blake), 1; Sir Merv, all. 7lb, carried 7st 12lb (H. Griffiths), 2; White Wings, 7st 10lb (F. Dwyer), 3. Other starters: Caramel, 10st 11lb; Vauxme, 8st; Molly Dear, 8st 2lb; Miss Benita, 8st; Miss Myra, 8st; [illegible]; Belfield, all. 7lb, car. 7st 8lb; Valour, [illegible]; Valorous Queen, 7st 7lb; [illegible]; Lady Armer, 7st 7lb; [illegible]. Betting: [illegible] to 1 v Caramel, 7 to 1 v Sir Merv, 8 to 1 v White Wings, [illegible] each v Miss Benita, Belfield, and Vauxme, 10 to 1 v Master Merv, 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by half a length. Time, 51s.

Ascot Handicap, 100 sovs, second 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, [illegible].—Resolved, [illegible], 1; Decorate, 10st 10lb (F. Dwyer), 2; [illegible], 3. Other starters: [illegible]. Betting: Even money on Decorate, 4 to 1 v Resolved, [illegible], 10 to 20 to 1 v others. Won by a length, and a half.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN TURF CLUB.

MARCH MEETING.

KALUWIRI WINS MARCH HANDICAP.

PERTH, Sunday.

The March Meeting of the W.A.T.C. took place yesterday, when the weather was fine, but the attendance was only moderate. Results:—

Jumpers' Flat Race of 140 sovs, 1½m.—Gilowa, by Ritualist—Dusk, aged, 10st 10lb (Heron), 1; Pensacola, aged, 10st 12lb (Mendes), 2; Rifleite, aged, 13st 1lb (Spiers), 3. Other starters: Dr. Lunn, Ettie Kirk, Footman, Renouncement, Murial Crown. Betting: 7 to 4 v Gilowa. Won by three lengths, a head between second and third. Time, 2m 15 4-5s. Dividends: £4/10/ and £1/12/.

City Handicap of 140 sovs, 6f.—Galtee Princess, by Bobadil—Harvest Home, 4yrs, 8st 3lb (M'Pherson), 1; Adaleila (imp.), by Galloping Lad—Tress, 4yrs, 8st 2lb (Leonard), 1; Jillawarra, 6st 12lb (Biglands), 3. Other starters: Coolagunyah, Bullie B., Highgate, Miss Beck, Western Night, Uncle Lew, Nabyarra, School of Arms. Betting: Even money on Galtee Princess. Jillawarra was one and a half length behind the dead-heaters. Time, 1m 15 4-5s. Dividends: Galtee Princess, 7/; Adaleila, 10/.

Hopetoun Handicap of 200 sovs, for horses bred in Western Australia; 1m.—Falsifier, by Rhubarb—Unknown, 6yrs, 8st 6lb (Cracknell) 1; Getyan, 4yrs, 8st 4lb (Brennan), 2; Gentle Mary, 4yrs, 8st 12lb (Heron), 3. Other starters: Flo-abel, Aubrey, Teredo, Embeaglio, Palisade, Miss Chakwa, Murrawa, Lockfirst, Mariner, Warambi, Boornie. Betting: 4 to 1 v Gentle Mary, 8 to 1 v Falsifier. Won by two lengths, a length and a quarter between second and third. Time, 1m 44s. Dividend: £7/14/.

March Handicap, 250 sovs, 1m 3f.—Kaluwiri, by Flagship—Ruth, 6yrs, 8st 3lb (Stephens), 1; Benefit, 6yrs, 7st 4lb (Bowles), 2; Mistico, 3yrs, 8st 7lb (Brennan), 3. Other starters: Cocatea, Rathkeale, Lord Flavus, Murilla, Sylvanianum, Chillamon. Betting: 6 to 4 v Cocatea, 8 to 1 v Kaluwiri. Won by a head, half a head between second and third. Time, 2m 23 4-5s. Div., £5 6s.

Welter Handicap of 140 sovs, 7f.—Mervi, by Merv (imp.)—Vietlie, 4yrs, 8st 6lb (Brennan), 1; Crestabel, 3yrs, 8st 6lb (Leonard), 2; Lady Prude, 4yrs, 10st 9lb (Truscott), 3. Other starters: Kwasind, Flavigny, Yourda, Opera King, Green Lily, Lack Lord, Tremille, Carlindi, Volition, Enchanteur, Langford, Warratarra, Grand Cordon, Straggler, Send Blue, Old Tipperary. Betting: 2 to 1 v Mervi. Won by one and a half length, a length between second and third. Time, 1m 28 2-5s. Div., 37s.

Lawley Handicap of 150 sovs, 1m.—Adaleila (imp.), by Galloping Lad—Tress, 4yrs (rehandicapped), 8st 7lb (Leonard), 1; Analysis, aged, 7st 9lb (Bibunda), 2; Miss Beck, aged, 7st 12lb (G. Matthews), 3. Other starters: Cadilla, Florabel, Minerva, Jillawarra. Betting: 9 to 4 v Minerva, 3 to 1 v Adaleila. Won by one and a half length, half a head between second and third. Time, 1m 42 1-5s. Div., £2 7s.

ORANGE JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

INDIRA WINS ORANGE CUP.

ORANGE, Saturday.

The annual races were concluded to-day, when the attendance and takings were a record. Results:—

Moulder Plate of 40 sovs, 6f.—Ayer's Black and Gold, 8st (Brooks), 1; Panda, 9st 3lb (Higgins), 2; Ruenalf, 8st 3lb (Field), 3. Other starters: Canaque, 8st 7lb; Urilla, 7st 13lb; Cache, 7st 9lb; Alrima, 7st; Tipster, 6st 9lb; Tony Mac, 6st 7lb. The winner started at 6 to 1. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 18s.

Kangaroobie Handicap of 25 sovs, 6f.—Smith's Queen Rice, 8st 10lb (Quinn), 1; Madam Butterfly, 8st 6lb (Hood), 2; Sinking Rufus, 8st (Fox), 3. Other starters: Prudent Prince, 7st 13lb; Without, 7st 10lb; Suma, 7st 7lb. The winner started at 3 to 1. Won by four lengths. Time, 1m 18½s.

Orange Cup of 150 sovs, 1m and a furlong.—J. Murray's Indira, by Zythos—India, 7st 2lb (Hood), 1; Ivers' Redbank, 9st 12lb (Pratt), 2; Ivers' E.U.G., 7st 5lb (Williams), 3. Other starters: Penniless, 8st 7lb; Rockfast, 7st; Cerelity, 8st 8lb; Pretty Mary, 6st 7lb. Betting: 5 to 4 v Redbank, 3 to 1 v Penniless, 6 to 1 v Rockfast, 7 to 1 v Indira, 8 to 10 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 1m 57½s.

Visitors' Handicap of 40 sovs, 6f.—Westerley's Crown Princess, 8st 2lb (Griffiths), 1; Mayne's Muriate, 9st (Mellogh), 2; O'Brien's White Knight, 8st 6lb (Field), 3. Other starters: Mandel, 8st 8lb; Phobos, 8st 4lb; Amberwood, 8st 2lb. Betting: 2 to 1 on Muriate, 7 to 1 v Crown Princess. Won by a head on the post. Time, 1m 18s.

Nandillyan Handicap of 35 sovs, 7f.—Gately's Lord Daniels, 8st 5lb (Higgins), 1; Strickland's Pine Park, 10st 4lb (Mellogh), 2; Beplate's Red Velvet, 7st (Pink), 3. Other starters: Heradale, 9st 2lb; Canaque, 8st 7lb; Davy Buchanan, 7st 8lb; Tony Mac, 6st 7lb. The winner started at 5 to 1. Won by a length. Time, 1m 32s.

CESSNOCK JOCKEY CLUB.

MARCH MEETING.

EXTRA SPECIAL WINS CLUB HANDICAP.

CESSNOCK, Saturday.

The Cessnock races were held to-day, when the weather was fine and the attendance large. Results:—

March Handicap, 1m.—D. Osborne's b g Gadwall, by Bannerett—Isobel, 7st 10lb (Evans), 1; Killy Fuddy, 6st 7lb (Bennet), 2; The Whare, 9st 9lb (O'Keefe), 3. Other starters: Sonchus. Betting: Even money on Te Whare, 6 to 4 v Gadwall, 3 to 1 v Sonchus, 5 to 1 v Killy Fuddy. Won by a length. Time, 1m 45½s.

Flying Handicap, 6f.—E. Galloway's b g Sir Gibbie, by Bonnie Chiel—Mesome, 7st 10lb (Bennet), 1; Kef, 8st 6lb (Stewart), 2; Vanadrum, 7st 10lb (O'Keefe), 3. Other starter: Box Seat, 8st. Betting: Even money on Kef, 5 to 4 v Box Seat, 5 to 1 v Vanadrum, 7 to 1 v Sir Gibbie. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 18½s.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—F. T. Cash's br g Lord Garde, by En Garde—Natalie, 8st 10lb (O'Keefe), 1; Sandella, 7st 10lb (Connolly), 2; Edewyl, 8st 10lb (Hart), 3. Other starters: River Wye, Vanrook, Amie, Gringal, Coalite. Betting: 6 to 4 v Lord Garde, 5 to 1 v River Wye, 4 to 10 to 1 v others. Time, 1m 17½s.

Cessnock J.C. Handicap, 1m.—F. T. Cash's Extra Special, by Trenchant—Extra, 8st (O'Keefe), 1; Delorium, 9st 5lb (Burke), 2; Gadwall, 8st 3lb (Osborne), 3. Only starters. Betting: 5 to 4 v Extra Special, 6 to 4 v Delorium, 5 to 2 v Gadwall. Won by six lengths. Time, 2m 11s.

Welter Handicap, 6f.—G. Bailey's g Edewyl, by Cuneiform—Zealander, 7st 7lb (Hart), 1; Sir Gibbie, 7st 13lb (Bennet), 2; River Wye, 7st 10lb (Evans), 3. Other starters: Kef, Sonchus, Vanrook, Killy Fuddy, Coalite. Betting: 6 to 4 v Kef, 4 to 1 each v Sir Gibbie and River Wye, 6 to 1 v Killy Fuddy, 10 to 1 v others. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 18s.

TROTTING AT MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The Derby Thousand Trotting Meeting was held at Richmond Racecourse yesterday, in fine weather, and there was a large attendance. The principal events resulted as under:—

Derby Thousand, for pacers; divided race, 1m.—A. Tewkesbury's Countess Chimes, scr. (P. Riddle), 1; P. Baker's Dixeda, scr. (K. Kennerly), 2; M. Cribb's Rex Wilkes, scr. (D. Lawson), 3. Normalene and King Roy also started. Betting: 5 to 2 on Countess Chimes. Won by 12 yards, 9 yards between second and third. Time, 2m 19s.

Derby Thousand, for trotters, divided race, 1m.—Belmont Stud Farm's Belmont Chimes, scr. (T. Skehill), 1; Allen and Rowe's Don McKenny, scr. (W. Whitburn), 2; M. Morris's July Bells, scr. (F. Ridley), 3. Eltham, Black Alto, and Charley M. also started. Betting: 3 to 1 on Belmont Chimes. Won by six yards, 12 yards between second and third. Time, 2m 25¾s.

UPPER MANNING JOCKEY CLUB.

COMBLEE WINS A DOUBLE.

WINGHAM, Saturday.

Appended are the results of the Upper Manning Jockey Club's March meeting to-day:—

Flying Handicap, 6f.—J. Prince's Comblee, 8st 7lb (M'Neill), 1; T. A. Hewish's C.D., 8st 10lb (Sullivan), 2; H. O'Neill's Zulu Boy, 7st 12lb (M'Lean), 3. Time, 1m 17s.

Maiden Novice Handicap, 6f.—T. Miller's Long Legs, 8st 11lb (Miller), 1; W. Shoesmith's Dulcie May, 6st 12lb (Thompson), 2; J. Arnold's Bean Bell, 8st 5lb (Ellis), 3.

Club Handicap, 1m.—T. A. Hewish's C.D., 9st (Sullivan), 1; R. E. Milligan's Nabiac, 8st 6lb (Thompson), 2; F. Bourke's Tuckombul, 7st 7lb (M'Lean), 3. Time, 1m 45s.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—T. Miller's Long Legs, 7st 9lb (Miller), 1; K. White's Mainmondi, 7st 7lb (G. M'Lean), 2; Cheshire and Robinson's Ruby Glen, 7st 1lb (O'Neill), 3. Time, 1m 18 4-5s.

Welter Handicap, 7f.—J. Prince's Comblee, 8st 5lb (Hadlow), 1; A. Shoesmith's Tarvine, 8st 6lb (Ellis), 2; T. A. Hewish's Dirty Boy, 8st 2lb (Sullivan), 3. Time, 1m 33s.

KENSINGTON RACING CLUB.

The following weights have been declared for the pony and galloway race meeting which takes place on Wednesday next:—

Flying Handicap, 5½f.—Spanish Gipsy, 9st 5lb; Wee Bob, 9st 3lb; Dormer, 8st 12lb; North Star, 8st 13lb; Halston, 8st 11lb; Crimson and Black, 8st 11lb; Superb, 8st 4lb; Troon, 8st 2lb; Elsie Phast, 8st; Geegeela, 8st, Burnore, 7st 10lb; Lady Rouvray, 7st 9lb; Rosebrook, 7st 9lb; Try Again, 7st 9lb; Glenettie, 7st 9lb; Cape Barley, 7st 7lb; Dunalastair, 7st 7lb; Gratis, 7st 7lb; Calvinia, 7st 7lb; Golden Tips, 7st 7lb; Glenesk, 7st 7lb; Kingbrook, 7st 7lb; Little Queen, 7st 7lb; Miss Ethel, 7st 5lb; Grandola, 7st 5lb; Oakleid, 7st 5lb, Kaloola, 7st 6lb; Auson, 7st 5lb; Serrana, 7st 5lb.

Fourteen Hands Handicap, 5f.—Malster, 11st 7lb; Honeymoon, 8st 3lb; Atherdon, 9st 1lb; My Dove, 8st 6lb; Green and White, 8st 3lb; Rose Soult, 7st 13lb; Secrete, 7st 12lb; Deloraine, 7st 9lb; Gladys, 9lb; Freda, 7st 9lb; Mary Wimer, 7st 9lb; Lady Peggy, 7st 6lb; Ouvit, 7st 4lb; Melbrook, 7st 4lb.

Fourteen-two Handicap, 5½f.—My Peggy, 11st 4lb; Lailah, 10st 12lb; Marie Clare, 9st 13lb; Pire Glow, 9st 12lb; Morpeth, 9st 4lb; All There, 9st 1lb; Tikumbi, 8st 12lb; Sir Merv, 8st 10lb; Clysmic, 8st 4lb; Ragtime, 8st; Miss Myra, 7st 12lb; White Wings, 7st 10lb; Step Out, 7st 10lb; Sturdee, 7st 7lb; Miss Carbean, 7st 7lb; Carinonda (late Alone), 7st 7lb; Lizzie B., 7st 5lb.

Kensington Handicap, 1m.—Galloa, 9st 10lb; Resolved, 8st 5lb; Patrovader, 8st 3lb; Mervi, 8st 1lb; Cashmoor, 7st 12lb; Fortune Hunter, 7st 12lb; Pensa, 7st 12lb; Dunalastair, 7st 9lb; Brown Eyes, 7st 7lb; Pomeroo, 7st 7lb; Ben Rohan, 7st 7lb; Prince Flavius, 7st 5lb; Waugoola, 7st 5lb; Fern Girl, 7st 3lb.

Maiden Handicap, 5f.—Mervs Daughter, 8st 10lb; Tachrest, 8st 7lb; Lady Merv, 8st 5lb; Mesaba, 8st 2lb; Amberyna, 8st 3lb; Catchem, 8st 3lb; Solod, 8st 1lb; Miss Joey, 8st; Sedge Loch, 8st; Stimulus, 8st; Bronze Ray, 7st 12lb; Prince Bardo, 7st 12lb; Antwerp, 7st 12lb; Mount Lebanon, 7st 10lb; Aer Dove, 7st 10lb; Pymble, 7st 10lb; Ina M., 7st 10lb; Sunny Ridge, 7st 10lb; Phyllis May, 7st 10lb; Head Mistress, 7st 10lb; Busty, 7st 10lb; Lindsay Gordon, 7st 10lb; Wongrabelle, 7st 10lb; Parking, 7st 10lb; Aerogram, 7st 7lb; Persian Queen, 7st 7lb; Cannon Ball, 7st 7lb; Meriont Belle, 7st 7lb; Black Harold, 7st 7lb; Selmoor, 7st 7lb; Pearls Fame, 7st 5lb; Zythum, 7st 5lb; Mattie H., 7st 5lb; Wattle, 7st 5lb; Diamond Buckle, 7st 5lb; Voiceful, 7st 5lb; Eucharena, 7st 5lb.

Fourteen One Handicap, 5½f.—Morpeth, 10st 5lb; Karruba, 10st 2lb; Little Jack, 8st 4lb; Atherdon, 8st 2lb; Miss Carbean, 8st; Secrete, [illegible]; Thea Mery, [illegible]; Ellen Moore, 7st 7lb; Calipha, 7st 7lb; Glady, 7st 7lb; Lord Bainold, 7st 7lb; Coral Pearl, 7st 5lb; Paul, 7st 5lb; Rock Lily, 7st 5lb.

Encourage Stakes, 1m.—Arakoon, 8st 6lb; Colvyr, 8st 4lb; Pinor Ridge, 8st 2lb; Loch, 8st 1lb; Irish Minnie, 7st 13lb; Culbanon, 7st 13lb; Midnight, 7st 13lb; Cash Box, 7st 11lb; Hollette, 7st 11lb; Lady Decide, 7st 9lb; Annaconda, 7st 9lb; Rei Bird, 7st 7lb; Erraton, 7st 7lb; Persuasite, 7st 7lb; Lyfort, 7st 7lb; Carock, 7st 5lb; Kenoria, 7st 5lb.

LAWN TENNIS.

INTERCLUB COMPETITIONS.

Sydney I. paid Eastern Suburbs the compliment of putting its full strength against them in A grade. The result was that Sydney I. won by 3 rubbers to 1. The "old-established firm" of A. B. Jones and Wright won both their rubbers for the winners. Marsh and Sayers were not available for East Sydney.

In B I., Strathfield I. administered the first reverse sustained by Manly I. this season, with a margin of 6 sets to 2 in their favour.

Kiowa beat Kurraba—till then undefeated—in the hard court's section, although Stiffe and Dettort, of the losers, won their four sets. Results:—

A GRADE.

Sydney I. v Eastern Suburbs.
A. B. Jones-Wright (S. I.) beat Hall-M. Mackenzie (E.S.), 6-3, 7-5.
A. B. Jones-Wright beat L. Todd-Plomley, 6-3, 8-6.
Clark-Morgan lost to L. Todd-Plomley, 3-6, 4-6.
Clark-Morgan beat Hall-M. Mackenzie, 6-2, 6-4.
Sydney I. won by 3 rubbers 6 sets 46 games to 1 rubber 2 sets 30 games.

Sydney II. v Strathfield.
Goodman-Bonnington (Sydney II.) beat Howell-Johnston (Strathfield), 6-2, 6-3.
Goodman-Bonnington beat A. L. North-Storey, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1.
Booth-Crossman lost to A. L. North-Storey, 7-5, 1-6, 5-7.
Booth-Crossman beat Howell-Johnston, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.
Sydney II. won by 3 rubbers 7 sets 56 games to 1 rubber 4 sets 45 games.

Western Suburbs v Killara.
F. and N. Peach (W.S.) beat Halcomb-Lillis (K.), 6-1, 6-4.
F. and N. Peach beat Hale-Lovegrove, 6-3, 8-6.
E. Hicks-H. Rice beat Hale-Lovegrove, 6-3, 7-5.
E. Hicks-H. Rice beat Halcomb-Lillis, 6-2, 6-4.
Western Suburbs won by 4 rubbers 8 sets 51 games to 28 games.

Hunter's Hill v Balmoral.
Neil-R. O. Anderson (H.H.) beat Kidston-Quill (B.), 6-1, 6-1.
Neil-R. O. Anderson beat Poidevin-Jordan, 6-2, 6-2.
Garrett-E. J. Smith beat Poidevin-Jordan 6-4, 8-6.
Garrett-E. J. Smith beat Kidston-Quill, 6-3, 8-6.
Hunter's Hill won by 4 rubbers 8 sets 52 games to 25 games.

University Graduates v University.
Pockley-Whiting (U.G.) beat Henderson-Inglis (U.), 6-2, 6-2.
Pockley-Whiting beat Harris-Leeds, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.
Fitz-Fisher beat [illegible], 9-11, 6-4, 6-4.
Fitz-Fisher lost to Henderson-Inglis, 2-6, 3-6.
University Graduates won by 3 rubbers 6 sets, 53 games, to 1 rubber, 4 sets, 47 games.

B GRADE.

SECTION I.

Strathfield I. v Manly I.
Pike-G. Smith (S. I.) v Ford-Harris (M. I.), 6-3 6-0.
Pike-G. Smith v Baker-Garden, 3-6, 6-1.
Loudon-Rose v Baker-Garden, 2-6, 6-3.
Loudon-Rose v Ford-Harris, 6-2, 6-3.
Strathfield I. won by 6 sets 41 games to 2 sets 23 games.

Killara I. v Waratah I.
Channon-Percy (K. I.) v Johnson-Vaughan (W. I.), 6-2, 6-2.
Channon-Percy v Hawken-Forman, 6-5, 6-5.
Kellett-Willis v Hawken-Forman, 3-6, 4-6.
Kellett-Willis v Johnson-Vaughan, 3-6, 6-4.
Killara I. won by 5 sets 40 games to 3 sets 38 games.

Chatswood I. v Waratah II.
Lobban-S. Geddes (C.) v Fraser-Wilshire (W. II.), 6-0, 6-0.
Lobban-S. Geddes v Baker-Gillett, 6-2, 3-6.
Edmunds-Walker v Baker-Gillett, 3-6, 6-3.
Edmunds-Walker v Fraser-Wilshire, 6-2, 6-1.
Chatswood I. won by 6 sets 42 games to 2 sets 20 games.

Western Suburbs II. v University II.
Hammond-Crane (W.S.) v Murphy-Morris (U. II.), 4-6, 6-3.
Hammond-Crane v Bateman-Traill, 6-2, 6-1.
Wylie-Robinson v Bateman-Traill, 6-2, 6-1.
Wylie-Robinson v Murphy-Morris, 6-2, 6-4.
Western Suburbs II. won by 5 sets 38 games to 3 sets 20 games.

University I. v Castle Park I.
L. Carr-Moran (U. I.) v Rudolph-Cayser (C.P. I.), 6-2, 6-2.
L. Carr-Moran v Spratt-C. Cranfield, 6-1, 5-6.
Iceton-McDonald v Spratt-C. Cranfield, 6-4, 6-2.
Iceton-McDonald v Rudolph-Cayser, 2-6, 5-6.
University I. won by 5 sets 42 games to 3 sets 29 games.

Eastern Suburbs I. v Western Suburbs I.
Kerr-McDonald (E.S. I.) v Harris-Goward (W.S. I.), 6-7, 6-3.
Kerr-McDonald v R. Smith-Murray, 6-2, 6-3.
Bowler-Sweetnam v R. Smith-Murray, 3-6, 6-5.
Bowler-Sweetnam v Harris-Goward, 2-6, 5-6.
Eastern Suburbs I. won by 5 sets 38 games to 3 sets 33 games.

SECTION II.

Strathfield II. v University Graduates.
R. and G. McDonald (S. II.) v Broughton-Teece (U.G.), 6-2, 5-6.
R. and G. McDonald v Cohen-Fuller, 6-1, 6-3.
Bunting-Shelley v Cohen-Fuller, 6-2, 6-1.
Bunting-Shelley v Broughton-Teece, 6-3, 6-4.
Strathfield II. won by 7 sets 47 games to 1 set 23 games.

Kuring-gai I. v Hunter's Hill I.
Pirie-Ross (K. I.) v Jones-Barker (H.H. I.), 6-5, 6-1.
Pirie-Ross v Champ-Levick, 5-6, 6-1.
Amphlett-Birkmyre v Champ-Levick, 6-5, 5-6.
Amphlett-Birkmyre v Jones-Barker, 6-3, 6-1.
Kuring-gai I. won by 6 sets 45 games to 2 sets 26 games.

Waverley I. v Haberfield I.
Dawson-Fowler (W. I.) v Keency-Kenny (H. I.), 6-2, 6-3.
Dawson-Fowler v Dive-Carmichael, 6-1, 6-5.
Bell-Jones v Dive-Carmichael, 6-2, 2-6.
Bell-Jones v Kenny-Kenny, 6-5, 6-3.
Waverley I. won by 7 sets 44 games to 1 set 25 games.

Western Suburbs IV. v Chatswood II.
Not played.

SECTION III.

Iolanthe v Eastern Suburbs II.
Denshire-Raves (I.) v Dr. McElhone-Stevens (E.S. II.), 2-6, 6-3.
Denshire-Raves v R. and C. Sweetnam, 4-6, 6-1.
Redfern-Greenwood v R. and C. Sweetnam, 6-2, 3-6.
Redfern-Greenwood v Dr. McElhone-Stevens, 6-4, 6-3.
Iolanthe won by 5 sets 39 games to 3 sets 34 games.

Castle Park II. v Haberfield II.
R. and C. Cranfield (C.P. II.) v Flaherty-McDonald (H. II.), 6-3, 6-5.
R. and C. Cranfield v Kennedy-Glancy, 6-4, 6-4.
Barnes-White v Kennedy-Glancy, 6-4, 6-5.
Barnes-White v Flaherty-McDonald, 5-6, 4-6.
Castle Park II. won by 6 sets 45 games to 2 sets 27 games.

Kuring-gai II. v Strathfield III.
Kuring-gai II. won by 5 sets 38 games to 3 sets 32 games.

SECTION IV.

Waverley II. v Appian Way II.
Kingsmill-Johnston (W. II.) v Fisher-Cross (A.W. II.), 6-4, 5-6.
Kingsmill-Johnston v Barker-Phillips, 6-4, 6-2.
H. and E. Wright v Barker-Phillips, 4-6, 6-1.
H. and E. Wright v Fisher-Cross, 6-1, 6-4.
Waverley II. won by 6 sets 45 games to 2 sets 26 games.

Kuring-gai IV. v Hunter's Hill II.
Hungerford-Pirie (K. IV.) v Parkes-Tidswell (H.H. II.), 6-4, 5-6.
Hungerford-Pirie v Lloyd-Matthews, 6-3, 5-6.
Fraser-Elliott v Lloyd-Matthews, 6-2, 6-2.
Fraser-Elliott v Parkes-Tidswell, 5-6, 6-2.
Kuring-gai IV. won by 5 sets 45 games to 3 sets 32 games.

Valkyrie v Warringah.
K. Barnett-Cohen (V.) v St. John-McRae (W.), 6-3, 6-5.
K. Barnett-Cohen v Hughes-Bristow, 6-4, 6-2.
A. Barnett-Rego v Hughes-Bristow, 6-3, 4-6.
A. Barnett-Rego v St. John-McRae, 3-6, 6-2.
Valkyrie won by 6 sets 43 games to 2 sets 30 games.

SECTION V.

Waverley IV. v Haberfield III.
Tweedie-Rowse (W. IV.) v Fenwick-Bardsley (H. III.), 6-3, 6-5.
Tweedie-Rowse v Daniels-Collins, 6-5, 5-6.
Huxtable-Wood v Daniels-Collins, 3-6, 6-3.
Huxtable-Wood v Fenwick-Bardsley, 5-6, 4-6.
Waverley IV. won by 4 sets 41 games to 4 sets 40 games.

Killara IV. v Drummoyne II.
Bradford-Curtis (K. IV.) v Milne-Gandon (D. II.), 6-5, 6-3.
Bradford-Curtis v Alcock-Barker, 6-2, 6-5.
Edwards-Whitfeld v Alcock-Barker, 6-4, 2-6.
Edwards-Whitfeld v Milne-Gandon, 3-6, 6-1.
Killara IV. won by 5 sets 39 games to 3 sets 24 games.

Kenilworth v Warringah II.
Avis-McKerihan (K.) v Bryant-Walters (W.II.), 6-1, 6-0.
Avis-McKerihan v Broinowski-Devlin, 6-1, 6-0.
A. Weston-Martin v Broinowski-Devlin, 6-5, 6-4.
A. Weston-Martin v Bryant-Walters, 6-5, 5-6.
Kenilworth won by 7 sets 47 games to 1 set 22 games.

Willoughby v University VI.
Bruce-Worth (W.) v Craig-McEwan (U. VI.), 6-3, 4-6.
Bruce-Worth v Bloomfield-Ross, 6-4, 2-6.
T. and A. Morris v Bloomfield Ross, 6-1, 6-1.
T. and A. Morris v Craig-McEwan, 6-2, 6-3.
Willoughby won by 6 sets 42 games to 2 sets 28 games.

HARD COURT SECTION.

Apsley Park v Corinthian.
Cadden-Patrick (A.P.) v Joyce-Wheelwright (C.), 6-4, 6-3.
Cadden-Patrick v E. O'Ryan-Lapish, 6-1, 6-2.
Wilson-Parsell v E. O'Ryan-Lapish, 6-4, 4-6.
Wilson-Parsell v Joyce-Wheelwright, 3-6, 6-5.
Apsley Park won by 6 sets 43 games to 2 sets 27 games.

Kiowa v Kurraba.
Morgan-McPherson (Kiowa) v Stiffe-Dittort (Kurraba), 4-6, 4-6.
Morgan-McPherson v Stewart-Ryerlee, 6-4, 6-1.
Astridge-Chrismas v Stewart-Ryerlee, 6-5, 6-2.
Astridge-Chrismas v Stiffe-Dittort, 3-6, 4-6.
Kiowa won by 4 sets 29 games to 4 sets 35 games.

C GRADE.

Kiowa v Waverley.
Lucas-Argent (K.) v Ross-M'Cook (W.), 4-6, 4-6.
Lucas-Argent v King-Glenn, 6-5, 6-2.
Hill-Barrow v King-Glenn, 6-1, 6-3.
Hill-Barrow v Ross-M'Cook, 6-2, 6-3.
Kiowa won by 6 sets 45 games to 2 sets 28 games.

Ranelagh v Dulwich Hill II.
Mullins-Lainson (R.) v Ness-Cattley (D.H. II.), 6-3, 3-6.
Mullins-Lainson v Mahler-M'Farlane, 6-3, 6-5.
M'Kenna-Byrnes v Mahler-M'Farlane, 6-3, 6-5.
M'Kenna-Byrnes v Ness-Cattley, 5-6, 6-3.
Ranelagh won by 6 sets 45 games to 2 sets 24 games.

Haberfield v Strathfield.
Collins-Richardson (H.) v M'Donald-Easterling (S.), 6-3, 1-6.
Collins-Richardson v Jubb-Finlayson, 6-2, 6-1.
Niven-O'Reilly v Jubb-Finlayson, 6-3, 6-2.
Niven-O'Reilly v M'Donald-Easterling, 6-4, 6-3.
Haberfield won by 7 sets 43 games to 1 set 29 games.

SINGLES MATCHES.

B GRADE.

SECTION I.

Manly I. v Strathfield I.
Baker (M.) v Pike (S.), 6-0; Garden v G. Smith 4-6; Ford v Loudon 6-5; Harris v Rose 6-2. Manly won by 3 sets 22 games to 1 set 16 games.

Killara I. v Waratah I.
Percy (K.) v Forman (W.) 6-3; Kellett v Johnson 6-2; Channon v Vaughan 2-6; Unfinished.

University I. v Castle Park I.
Moran (U.) v Spratt (C.P.) 6-2; L. Carr v Rudolph 6-5; Iceton v Cayser 6-5; M'Donald v C. Cranfield 2-6. University I. won by 3 sets 20 games to 1 set 16 games.

SECTION II.

Strathfield II. v University Graduates.
G. M'Donald (S. II.) v Teece (U.G.), 6-3; R. M'Donald v Broughton, 6-0; Bunting v Fuller, 6-5; Shelley v Cohen, 6-1. Strathfield II. won by 4 sets 24 games to 9 games.

Waverley I. v Haberfield I.
Dawson (W.) v Dive (H.), 6-4; Fowler v Kenny, 6-2; Bell v Carmichael, 6-4; Jones v Kenny, 6-1. Waverley I. won by 4 sets 24 games to 11 games.

SECTION III.

Iolanthe v Eastern Suburbs II.
Redfern (I.) v M'Elhone (E.S.), 6-3; Greenwood v Stevens, 6-5; Denshire v C. Sweetnam, 6-1; Raves v R. Sweetnam, 5-6. Iolanthe won by 3 sets 21 games to 1 set 15 games.

SECTION IV.

Waverley II. v Appian Way II.
Johnston (W.) v Cross (A.W.), 6-0 (forfeit); Kingsmill v Barker, 6-2; H. Wright v Fisher, 6-3; E. Wright v Phillips, 6-4. Waverley II. won by 2 sets 18 games to 1 set 15 games.

SECTION V.

Haberfield III. v Waverley IV.
Fenwick (H. III.) v Wood (W. IV.), 6-5; Collins v Rowse, 6-5; Daniels v Tweedie, 6-5; Bardsley v Huxtable, not played. Haberfield III. won by 3 sets 18 games to 15 games.

Kenilworth v Warringah II.
Avis (K.) v Broinowski (W.), 6-1; M'Kerihan v Bryant, 6-0; Martin v Walters, 6-4; A. Weston v Devlin, 6-0. Kenilworth won by 4 sets 24 games to 5 games.

HARD COURTS SECTION.

Apsley Park v Corinthian.
Cadden (A.P.) v E. O'Ryan (C.), 3-6; Wilson v Joyce, 1-6; Parsell v Wheelwright, 6-5; Patrick v Lapish, 6-5; Apsley Park won by 2 sets 19 games to 1 set 16 games.

C GRADE.

Waverley v Kiowa.
King (W.) v Argent (K.), 6-4; Glenn v Hill, 6-1; M'Cook v Lucas, 5-6; Ross v Barrow, 4-6. Waverley won by 2 sets 21 games to 2 sets 17 games.

Ranelagh v Dulwich Hill II.
Byrnes (R.) v Cattley (D.H.), 6-5; Mullins v Ness, 6-2; Lainson v M'Farlane, 6-5; M'Kenna v Mahler, 5-6. Ranelagh won by 3 sets 23 games to 1 set 19 games.

PRIMROSE v ENDEAVOUR.

At Marrickville on Saturday two local clubs, Primrose and Endeavour, met on the former's court, the former team winning by 7 sets 57 games to 6 sets 13 games.

RAMBLERS v ST. LUKE'S.

The Ramblers (Centennial Park) were beaten by St. Luke's, Mosman, on the former's court, No. 8, Centennial Park, on Saturday, by 6 sets 29 games to 1 set 25 games.

THE INTERSTATE MATCHES.

A few days ago the Victorian Lawn Tennis Association decided to approach both the South Australian and New South Wales Associations with a view to cancelling this year's interstate fixtures. Subsequently the South Australian body stated that it would not agree to the Victorian proposal, that the tournament would be carried out, and that a percentage of the entrance fees and takings would be devoted to the Belgian Fund. On Friday night a telegram was received from Melbourne, which stated that the council of the Victorian Association had decided to send teams of players to Adelaide to compete against South Australia on March 12 and 13.

It is now hoped that the match between N.S. Wales and Victoria will be played in April. A meeting of the N.S. Wales Association will take place on Wednesday next to discuss the matter. It is suggested that the match be played, and that the proceeds be devoted to one or more of the war funds.

MELBOURNE MEETING CLOSED.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The final matches in connection with the autumn championship meeting held by Melbourne Cricket Club at Albert Ground were played yesterday under most unpleasant weather conditions.

Dr. Arthur O'Hara Wood, the Australasian champion, who played in three matches, put up something of a record in winning them all, singles, doubles, and mixed doubles, without the loss of a set. His match against H. A. Parker (N.S.W.) in the singles was a very tame affair, and probably a championship final has never been won so easily. The Sydney player was probably much bothered by the wind, but he seemed to lack energy throughout the match, and the Victorian won by 6-2, 6-1, 6-2.

The best match of the afternoon was the doubles between the brothers O'Hara Wood and Heath and Lycett. The former won by 7-5, 7-5, 6-4. Miss Stewart, the Victorian champion, beat Miss Waxman in the ladies' singles championship, 6-0, 6-3. The mixed doubles championship saw A. O'Hara Wood and Miss Waxman beat Heath and Mrs. Sanderson, 6-3, 11-9. T. K. Fitchett (Vic.) beat H. L. Barclay (Tas.) in the final of the colts' championship by 1-6, 6-1, 11-9, 4-6, 13-11.

ATHLETICS.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

BRILLIANT RUNNING BY A. F. THORPE.

SOME FINE PERFORMANCES.

The first day's programme of the annual track and field State championships was carried out at Pratten Park, Ashfield, on Saturday, under the control of the N.S.W. Amateur Athletic Association, in clear and warm weather. The attendance was larger than usually witnessed at an athletic gathering, the track was in splendid condition, and the performances in the majority of events were of a high standard. Nine events carrying State titles, five "Decathlon" items, and handicap events for the Mozart Juvenile Harriers and Western Suburbs Club made up a most interesting programme, which was well conducted, with the concluding item finishing well to scheduled time.

A. F. Thorpe was the most prominent performer. Last year he was beaten by the American distance runner, J. A. Power, in the mile championship; but this year he nominated for this race and the 440yds event, the title for the latter having been placed to his credit in 1913. Thorpe won his heat of the quarter easily in 53 4-5s, and in the final was first away, winning with ease in 50 3-5s. Twenty minutes later the South Sydney crack came out for the mile championship, and, although troubled with a "stitch" early in the race, which compelled him to allow the other competitors to make the pace, finished an easy winner in 4m 45⅓s.

G. E. Hansel, B. Sidman, and H. D. Hinchey were competitors to annex State titles for the first time, and J. W. Frazer regained the 120yds hurdles championship, won by him each year since 191[illegible] last year, when R. R. Templeton, of California, defeated him. W. J. O'Reilly performed a similar feat in the 16lb shot putt. A. W. Pickard retained his title in the mile walk, and the discus-throwing championship of the State resulted in victory for F. J. Morgan, who threw 101ft 5⅝in. This figure will stand as a New South Wales record if all conditions were complied with. It may be mentioned that the last occasion that a discus championship was contested was on January 6, 1898, when E. H. Cahill registered 86ft 8in.

T. Maher secured the lead in Decathlon points, with a total of 1990. This competition did not create the interest anticipated, as there were only three competitors, and the East Sydney representative was considered to have an easy task before him. He was, however, unexpectedly beaten in the javelin throw by W. Biden, of the Y.M.C.A., who reached 131ft 9in, a figure that has only once been improved upon in competition here. Results:—

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

100 Yards: Records—World's 9 3-5s, Australasian 9 4-5s, N.S.W. 10s, championship 10s. Previous holder, G. L. Parker, U.S.A., in 10 1-10s.—G. E. Hansel (East Sydney), 1; W. J. Ryan (Western Suburbs), 2; F. C. H. Madeley (South Sydney), 3. Won by half a yard, with inches between second and third. Time, 10 2-5s.

440 Yards: Records—World's 47s (straight course), 47 1-5s (curved), Australasian 48⅖s, N.S.W. 49⅕s, championship 51 4-5s. Previous holder, G. L. Parker, U.S.A., 51 4-5s.—First heat: A. F. Thorpe (South Sydney), 1; F. E. Beaver (South Sydney), 2. Time, 53 4-5s. Second heat: R. P. Warner (East Sydney), 1; F. C. H. Madeley (South Sydney), 2. Time, 54s.

Final: A. F. Thorpe, 1; F. C. H. Madeley, 2; R. P. Warner, 3. Beaver drew the inside position, with Warner next, then Thorpe, and Madeley on the outside. Thorpe took the lead, and, increasing his advantage, won by 12 yards, with three yards between second and third. Time, 50 3-5s. The winner's time constitutes a championship record, and is 2-5ths of a second inside the standard.

One Mile: Records.—World's 4m 14 2-5s, Australasian 4m 18s, N.S.W. 4m 22s, championship 4m 22 3-5s. Previous holder, J. A. Power, U.S.A., 4m 23 3-5s.—A. F. Thorpe (South Sydney), 1; T. Fitzgerald (Redfern), 2; H. Kiberton (Redfern), 3. Thorpe was first away, but Rule quickly took up the running, with Lodge, Thorpe, and Fitzgerald nearest. Rule retired at two laps to go, and Fitzgerald led Thorpe at the bell. Nearing the finish, the South Sydney man moved away, and won by 15yds, with 20yds between second and third. Time, 4m 45⅓s.

120 Yards Hurdles: Records—World's 15s, Australasian 15 3-10s, N.S.W. 15 4-5s, championship 15 4-5s. Previous holder, R. R. Templeton, U.S.A., 15 4-5s.—J. W. Frazer (South Sydney), 1; T. R. Cole (South Sydney), 2; R. G. Stephenson (Police), 3. Won by 2ft. Stephenson fell at the last hurdle, but went on, and gained third place. Time, 16 2-5s. Frazer equalled standard time.

One Mile Walk: Records—World's and Australasian 6m 22 4-5s, N.S.W. 6m 41⅗s, championship 6m 46s. Previous holder, A. W. Packard, 6m 54s.—A. W. Pickard (Police), 1; R. T. Dent (South Sydney), 2; S. Sheaves (South Sydney), 3. Pickard led throughout, and won by two yards, with 50 yards between second and third. Time, 6m 57s, eight seconds inside standard time.

Running High Jump: Records—World's 6ft 7in, Australasian 6ft 1 3-16in, N.S.W. 6ft, championship 5ft 11¼in. Previous holder, J. Smith, 5ft 9in.—B. Sidman (East Sydney), 5ft 8in, 1; T. Frazer (South Sydney), W. J. Potter (South Sydney), and T. Maher (East Sydney), tied for second at 5ft 7in.

Running Hop, Step, and Jump (Records—World's, 50ft 11in; Australasian and N.S.W., 47ft 8in; championship 45ft 5in; previous holder, T. Maher, 45ft 5in).—H. D. Hinchey (South Sydney), 41ft 6in, 1; T. Maher (East Sydney), 41ft 5½in, 2; W. J. Potter (South Sydney), 40ft 11in, 3. The men jumped against the wind, and the landing pit was too hard to afford the competitors an opportunity of displaying their best efforts.

Putting 16lb Shot (Records—World's, 51ft; Australasian, 45ft 9⅛in; N.S.W., 44ft 8⅛in; championship, 43ft 0½in; previous holder, E. R. Caughey, U.S.A., 43ft 0½in).—W. J. O'Reilly (Police), 38ft 7¼in, 1; F. J. Morgan (East Sydney), 38ft 4in, 2; C. T. Ferguson (Police), 35ft 2in, 3.

Throwing the Discus (Records—World's, 145ft 9½in, 7ft circle; no Australasian or N.S.W. records; best known figure, 126ft 6⅞in; championship, 1898, 86ft 8in).—F. J. Morgan (East Sydney), 101ft 5⅝in, 1; T. Maher (East Sydney), 97ft 7⅛in, 2; C. T. Ferguson (Police), 87ft 11in, 3.

Club Points.—South Sydney 23, East Sydney 17, Police 9, Redfern 3, Western Suburbs 2.

DECATHLON EVENTS.

100 Yards (50 points to be deducted for each tenth of a second slower than 10s).—T. Maher, 10⅘s (750 points), 1; A. O. Hodgson, 10 4-5s (600), 2; W. Biden, 11s (500), 3.

Running Broad Jump (24 points off each inch short of 23ft 7¼in).—T. Maher, 19ft 4in, 1; W. Biden, 17ft 11in, 2; A. O. Hodgson, 17ft 4½in, 3. No points were scored.

Throwing the Javelin (20 points off each foot short of 140ft).—W. Biden, 131ft 9in (830 points), 1; T. Maher, 125ft 11½in (720), 2; A. O. Hodgson, 122ft 9in (655), 3.

Pole Vault (30 points off each inch below 11ft 6¼in).—T. Maher, 9ft 6in (510 points), 1; A. O. Hodgson and W. Biden, nil.

One Mile Run.—None of the competitors completed the distance.

Points Scored.—T. Maher, 1990; W. Biden, 1330; A. O. Hodgson, 1255.

HANDICAPS.

Western Suburbs A.A.C. 880 Yards.—P. B. Coll, 40yds, 1; H. Winkworth, 40yds, 2; S. A. Ayling, 25yds, 3. Time, 2m 7s.

Mozart Juvenile Harriers, 220 Yards.—First heat: A. Braibling, 25yds, 1; T. Mills, 35yds, 2; F. Houston, 40yds, 3. Time, 26 4-5s. Second heat: W. Duggan, 50yds, 1; R. Everett, 75yds, 2; R. Phelan, 55yds, 3. Time, 25s. Final: W. Duggan, 1; R. Everett, 2; R. Phelan, 3. Time, 24 3-5s.

WOLLONGONG, Sunday.

The annual picnic and sports of the Electrolytic Employees' Union was held yesterday at Port Kembla. The attendance was good.

Results: Electrolytic Handicap, 75 yards.—G. Warrington, 2yds, 1; W. Buckley, 8yds, 2; F. Jarrett, 8yds, 3. 100 yards open handicap.—G. Warrington, 5yds, 1; H. Rello, 5yds, 2. Boys' race, 12 to 15 years.—E. Townsend, 1; J. Flamont, 2. Girls' race, 14 and under.—Julia Roach, 1; Eileen Antler, 2. High jump.—John Mulhall, 4ft 5in, 1. Clerical staff race.—K. Sykes, 1; P. Gabbott, 2. Three-legged race.—F. Bullen and Reg Brown. Throwing at the wicket.—Jas. Sloan. Married ladies' race.—Mrs. J. W. Ryan, 1; Mrs. Chesher, 2. Kicking the football.—H. Mason, 59yds. Race for wives of committeemen.—Mrs. J. Jarrett. Obstacle race.—J. Johnstone.

BOWLS.

SATURDAY'S PLAY.

PENNANT COMPETITION.

CITY BADLY BEATEN.

The pennant competition was advanced another stage on Saturday. The severe defeat of 134 to 67 inflicted on the City team by Kuring-gai was a surprise. Kuring-gai played excellently. The following are the results of the play:—

No. 1 DIVISION.

REDFERN v RANDWICK.

Played at Randwick, and won by Randwick by 7 points.

	Red.	Rand.
Grierson, Danks, Hall, Brogden	21	—
Smith, M'Vee, Nelson, M'Clure	—	26
Corbett, Brearley, Taylor, Bright	21	—
Williams, Hardy, Coulton, Bressington	—	20
Bruce, Kearns, Skeliarn, Harrigan	22	—
Crouch, Ross, Goldrick, Mackenzie	—	25
Cloran, Parkes, Graves, Hayes	20	—
Wickham, Fuller, Lewis, Bromwich	—	[illegible]
Totals	85	92

MARRICKVILLE v ASHFIELD.

Played at Ashfield, and won by the local club by 62 points.

	Ash.	Mar.
Spence, Gallard, Ashdown, Moses	21	—
Whitelaw, M'Donald, Boll, Woolford	—	21
H. H. Davies, Robson, Noakes, Pettigrew	39	—
M'Causland, Osgood, Griffiths, Dunwoodie	—	16
Luland, M'Donald, Payten, Lawson	31	—
Gill, Grundy, Holroyd, Elston	—	18
M'Laren, Lee, Martin, J. Harrison	39	—
Hardy, M'Intosh, Wright, M'Gee	—	13
Totals	130	68

WOONONA v ST. GEORGE.

Played at Rockdale and won by St. George by 17 points.

	St. G.	Woo.
Goode, Wyatt, Louden, Taylor	18	—
Valentine, Muir, J. Williams, Young	—	20
Blaxland, Butchart, Sutherland, Hyndman	29	—
Christian, Cameron, Beaston, Pryor	—	25
Honeyfield, Banner, Crosher, McMillan	22	—
Farraher, Bennett, Fritz, Kerton	—	21
Butler, Garden, Cooper, McLeod	26	—
Perry, Greenhalgh, Ross, R. Williams	—	13
Totals	96	79

Victoria Park had a bye.

NO. 2 DIVISION.

DRUMMOYNE v WAVERLEY.

Played at Waverley and won by the local club by 45 points.

	Wav.	Dr.
Clemmens, Mullings, Batson, Wahlberg	43	—
McKinlay, Nicholls, Harvey, Perdriau	—	19
Martin, Dr. Lamrock, Hope, Cox	14	—
Russell, Morrison, Tillett, Jesson	—	25
Clarke, McLeod, Fitzgerald, Dr. Burge	29	—
Russell, Barrell, Hawkins, English	—	12
Jagleman, Cummins, Staley, Barkell	31	—
Reid, Foster, Cameron, S. B. Reid	—	16
Totals	117	72

HUNTER'S HILL v BURWOOD.

Played at Burwood and won by the local club by 54 points.

	Bur.	H. H.
Parker, Ewbank, Bennett, Clapin	34	—
Solomon, sen., Richardson, Hastie, Rossby	—	10
Herder, Keen, Gartrell, Hillier	31	—
McClure, Arndt, Wallis, McPherson	—	16
Carr, Murdoch, Byrn, Arnott	40	—
Quirk, Solomon, jun., Thomas, Sayer	—	16
Hense, Lloyd, Goldwater, Josselyn	25	—
Renshaw, Henderson, Baman, Newman	—	34
Totals	130	76

BALMAIN v MOSMAN.

Played at Mosman, and won by Mosman by 57 points.

	Mos.	Bal.
Leech, Johnston, Evans, Walters	38	—
Thompson, Hurst, Wheelwright, Reeder	—	19
Scott, A. Thompson, B. Smith, Colquhoun	32	—
May, Marsh, M'Culloch, Dingwall	—	21
Breckenridge, Ray, Davis, Bullot	28	—
Goodsir, Williams, Wilshire, M'Laren	—	8
Gay, Jones, Barnes, Woodhouse	30	—
M'Neilly, Smith, Crane, Crump	—	23
Totals	128	71

MANLY v CHATSWOOD.

Played at Chatswood, and won by the local club by 9 points.

	Chats.	Manly.
Lindsay, Hattersley, F. Gartrell, Chapman	30	—
Metcalfe, Hickson, Holloway, Lewis	—	18
Robey, Coates, Forsyth, Wilkie	17	—
Pasau, Buckley, Hobey, Hind	—	32
Crawley, Bastian, Chandler, W. H. Gartrell	29	—
Hogan, Duffin, Lawrence, Purves	—	26
Green, Smith, Blackadder, Young	25	—
Owen, Currie, Norris, Fuller	—	22
Totals	107	98

NO. 2 DIVISION.

STRATHFIELD v NORTH SYDNEY.

Played at Strathfield, and won by the local team by 15 points.

	Str.	N.S.
Henderson, Orr, M'Gill, F. A. King	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dunster, Wisehart, Holdsworth, Clarke	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hudson, Doel, Null, Reid	[illegible]	[illegible]
Davess, Hyman, Stedman, Tyler	[illegible]	[illegible]
Walter, Griffith, Thompson, R. J. King	[illegible]	[illegible]
Newton, Hobson, Leahy, Walker	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. Drake, Pearce, Fisher, W. Drake	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arthur, Baxter, Mayne, Rogers	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

CITY v KURING-GAI.

Played at Kuring-gai, and won by the local club by 61 points.

	Kur.	City.
Woolnough, Rand, Donaldson, Oakes	[illegible]	[illegible]
Whitehouse, C. Thorpe, McDonald, T. Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Penfold, Cook, Spence, Black	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kenaan, Cockburn, Marks, Harris	[illegible]	[illegible]
Barnett, Carnish, Fraser, Alderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hewthurst, Sutton, Taft, H. Thorpe	[illegible]	[illegible]
McCoy, A. Nettleton, Charlton, Dr. Clarke	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hurley, Loveridge, Widerstrom, Butler	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	134	[illegible]

PETERSHAM v WARINGAH.

Played at Waringah, and won by Petersham by 41 points.

	Warr.	Pet.
Raymont, Hillman, Jacobs, Nicholls	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pratt, Morrison, Davis, Morgan	[illegible]	[illegible]
Breden, Clarke, Davis, Bray	[illegible]	[illegible]
Welch, Smith, Searl, Holmes	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. W. Henderson, Dibbs, Glasby, Copeland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oram, Hill, Davis, Hollis	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. W. Roberts, Bochanan, R. F. Roberts, McDowell	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hanlon, Hilliard, Smith, Evans	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

RYDE v PARRAMATTA.

Played at Parramatta, and won by the local club by 59 points.

	Par.	Ryde.
Noller, Pearson, Magarrey, Wickham	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ainsworth, Reed, Pitt, Coe	[illegible]	[illegible]
Summons, T. Marsden, Richardson, Davis	[illegible]	[illegible]
Derrin, Forsyth, Foskin, Pollagher	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eaden, Clarke, Gowanlock, Quigley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cowell, Reeves, Barr, Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wall, A. Marsden, Coote, Litton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ralston, Scott, Jarvis, Berry	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

POSITION OF THE CLUBS.

The following tables give the positions and performances of the clubs in the Pennant Competition:—

	Won.	Lost.	For.	Agnst.	Up.	Down.
Section 1.						
Ashfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Randwick	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. George	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marrickville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Woonona	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Victoria Park	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Redfern	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Section 2.						
Chatswood	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mosman	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Waverley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manly	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hunter's Hill	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Balmain	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Drummoyne	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Burwood	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Section 3.						
City	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kuring-gai	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Sydney	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Petersham	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Parramatta	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Strathfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Warringah	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ryde	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

OTHER MATCHES.

ASHFIELD v BURWOOD.

Played at Ashfield, and won by Burwood by 8 points.

	Bur.	Ashf.
Matthews, A. Clarke, C. Watson, Vallentine	[illegible]	[illegible]
Young, Flowerdew, Pitcombe, Mortley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gibson, Dale, Taylor, Kerway	[illegible]	[illegible]
Melville, Hudson, Hillier, G. Roberts	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

CHATSWOOD v KURING-GAI.

Played at Chatswood, and won by the local club by 25 points.

Scott, Lyons, M'Lean, Prentice	[illegible]	[illegible]
Muncaster, Watts, Taylor, Gillon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake, Cripps, Aitken, Ward	[illegible]	[illegible]
Horn, M'Lean, Cox, Lomas	[illegible]	[illegible]
Schoch, E. Thompson, M'Kenzie, Mason	[illegible]	[illegible]
M'Lean, Forbes, Gold, Stupart	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

WARRINGAH v MOSMAN.

This was a home and home match. Mosman won by 12 points.

At Mosman.

	Warr.	Mos.
Crowe, Tonge, W. H. Smith, Stinson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chrosier, Yates, Tov, Booth	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bone, Elrington, M'Donald, Bridgewater	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wilshire, Macrae, Raine, Pope	[illegible]	[illegible]

At Warringah.

Black, Mitchell, Travers, T. Henderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cooply, Roberts, Pannell, Sedgley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

DRUMMOYNE v CITY.

Played at Cook Park, and won by the City by 65 points.

	C.	D.
Boulton, Montague, Aubin, P. Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hayman, Breckenridge, Fairweather, Christensen	[illegible]	[illegible]
Baillie, Small, Cook, Bedford	[illegible]	[illegible]
May, Krauso, Herron, Sherbourne	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lasker, Campbell, Reed, Smith	[illegible]	[illegible]
Morgan, Dowsett, Elder, Ray	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

CHELTENHAM v BEECROFT.

Played at Cheltenham, and won by Beecroft by 11 points.

	B.	C.
Higgins, Bambridge, Young, Shiels	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ball, Alcock, Green, Brierley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Holcombe, Moor, Mason, Wallace	[illegible]	[illegible]
Higgs, Quodling, Rogers, Nixon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Forsyth, Priest, Faulkner, Andrews	[illegible]	[illegible]
Johnson, Pierce, Chapman, Graham	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

GLADSTONE PARK v BALMAIN.

Won by Gladstone Park by 7 points.

	G.P.	B.
Curran, Beavis, Steadman, M'Grath	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isles, Drake, Clapham, M'Kenzie	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jewson, Paris, Clubb, Young	[illegible]	[illegible]
Swan, Dingwall, Wathen, Sommerville	[illegible]	[illegible]
Levo, M'Gann, Rodgers, Meyn	[illegible]	[illegible]
Newberry, Boyd, Waugh, Eaton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]

CYCLING.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIP CARNIVAL.

BURTINSHAW AND TAYLOR SECURE TITLES.

The Australian amateur cycling championships opened at the Sydney Sports Ground on Saturday evening under more auspicious conditions than the State carnival last month. There was an excellent attendance, and the racing was carried out in pleasant conditions. Representatives from Victoria, Queensland, and Tasmania opposed the best riders of New South Wales, this being the first occasion that so many States have competed for Australian titles in Sydney.

S. Burtinshaw retained his title of one mile champion, yet he was particularly fortunate, as of the four riders who competed in the final Allan McDonald, of Victoria, and the Sydney rider, G. A. Halpin, fell at a most interesting stage, when they threatened to give the holder a hard race for the honour. In the five miles championship a brilliant struggle for the leading positions was witnessed, Aubrey Taylor, who last month annexed the State title over a similar distance, winning from McDonald. [illegible]

The programme opened with a three-hours' team race for second class riders. [illegible] M'Mahon and W. Lee [illegible] 69 miles [illegible] New South Wales. Results:—

One Mile Championship of Australia (Previous holder S. Burtinshaw, N.S.W.).—First heat: C. C. Hooper (Western Suburbs), 1; [illegible]

[illegible]

Second Heat: [illegible] Byron (Eastern Suburbs) [illegible]

Third Heat: [illegible] B. Goodhew (Marrickville) [illegible]

Fourth Heat: [illegible]

Final.

S. Burtinshaw (Redfern) [illegible]

C. C. Hooper (Western Suburbs) [illegible]

[illegible]

Five Miles Championship of Australia.—Previous holder: S. Burtinshaw.

A. F. Taylor (Eastern Suburbs) ... 1
A. J. McDonald (Victoria) ... 2
T. Byron (Eastern Suburbs) ... 3
S. Burtinshaw (Redfern) ... 4

The 12 riders nominated took part, and Burtinshaw, Byron, Gee, and Taylor [illegible]

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MOTOR CYCLING.

SYDNEY BICYCLE AND MOTOR-CYCLE CLUB.

On Thursday evening the 35th annual general meeting of the above club was held at the Bicycle record-chamber, 77 Castlereagh street. There was a very large gathering of the members. [illegible] The annual report and balance sheet were adopted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—[illegible]

[illegible]

ROWING.

ST. IGNATIUS' REGATTA.

ENTERPRISE, MOSMAN, AND GLEBE WIN.

On Saturday bright weather favoured the St. Ignatius College Rowing Club's twenty-ninth annual regatta, which was held on the Lane Cove River. [illegible]

[illegible]

Particulars of the racing are as follow:—

OPEN RACES.

SENIOR CHALLENGE EIGHTS. Prize: Riverview Gold Challenge Cup and gold medals. [illegible]

[illegible]

MAIDEN FOURS. [illegible]

JUNIOR FOURS. [illegible]

HANDICAP SCULLS. [illegible]

COLLEGE RACES.

[illegible]

CLINKER FOURS. [illegible]

JUNIOR SIX OARS. [illegible]

JUNIOR FOUR OARS. [illegible]

BALMAIN LADIES' CLUB.

The Balmain Ladies' Rowing Club held a double scull race over the Iron Cove course on Saturday afternoon. [illegible]

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE.

Results of competition held in Ashfield Park, Saturday, in connection with the St. John Ambulance [illegible]

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FUNERALS.

BUCHANAN.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. CATHERINE BUCHANAN will leave Moonah, New Beach-road, Darling Point, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9.45 o'clock, for South Head Cemetery.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

[illegible].—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH and Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST BLE[illegible], of 125 George-street, Waterloo, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND and their FATHER, Henry; to leave his late residence, 27 Mort-street, Moore Park, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.15 o'clock, for Randwick General Cemetery, Long Bay-road, Coogee.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

CROUCH.—The Friends of Mrs. LOUISA CROUCH, of 8 Ivy-street, Redfern, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, from Lidcombe Railway Station, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for C.E. Cemetery, Necropolis.

CROUCH.—The Friends of FRANK, ARTHUR, and NORMAN CROUCH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, from Lidcombe Railway Station, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for C.E. Cemetery, Necropolis. Catch 8.30 a.m. train, Central Station.

CROUCH.—The Friends of SYDNEY E. CROUCH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved BROTHER, William; from Lidcombe Railway Station, THIS (Monday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for C.E. Cemetery, Necropolis.

CHINNERY.—The Friends of EDWIN T. CHINNERY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dear WIFE, Elizabeth Amy, to leave our parlours, 10 Castlereagh-street, city, TO-MORROW (Tuesday), at [illegible], for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst.
'Phones: City 6075 or 2077.

HUNTER.—The Friends of Mr. ALFRED HUNTER and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly beloved SON and their BROTHER, John; to leave his father's residence, Webb-street, Croydon, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood Station.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

HERBERT.—The Funeral of the late Mr. EDWARD HERBERT will take place THIS AFTERNOON, in the Church of England Cemetery, Fugowra.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

HEALEY.—The Friends and Relatives of the late SYDNEY HEALEY (Syd.), also his Comrades of Imperial Bushmen and 1st Australian Light Horse, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; which will leave his mother's residence, Gladstone Villa, Illawarra-road, Marrickville, THIS MONDAY, at 1 p.m., for the Cemetery, Rookwood, via Lewisham Station.
CHARLES KINSELA,
497 Illawarra-road, Marrickville.
Tel., 267 Petersham.

HAMILTON.—The Funeral of the late SYLVIA EDITH HAMILTON will take place THIS DAY, in the Presbyterian Cemetery, Murrurundi.
GEO. ANDREWS,
Newtown, Ashfield, and Burwood.

HURLEY.—The Friends of Mr. C. D. HURLEY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Emily; to leave our Parlours, 10 Castlereagh-street, city, THIS MONDAY, at 1.15 p.m., for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
7 Elizabeth-street, city;
North Sydney, and Spit Junction.

SOLEMN OFFICE and REQUIEM MASS for the Repose of the soul of the late Rev. Mother MARY [illegible], of The Brigidines, will be celebrated in Sacred Heart Church, Avoca-street, Randwick, THIS MONDAY, at 9.45. The Funeral will leave the Church at 10.45 for Randwick Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
Funeral Directors.

KINGCOTT.—The Funeral of the late Mr. RICHARD KINGCOTT will leave his late residence, Australia-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 1.15, for Newtown Station, thence for C. of E. Cemetery, No. 3 Mortuary.
ERNEST ANDREWS and CO.,
53 and 55 Australia-street, Newtown (only).
Phone, L. 1075.

KINGCOTT.—The Friends of [illegible] RICHARD ARTHUR KINGCOTT are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his late residence, Australia-street, Camperdown, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, C.E. Cemetery, Rookwood.

KINGCOTT.—The Friends of Mrs. R. KINGCOTT and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER; to move from his late residence, Australia-street, Camperdown, at 1.15 THIS DAY, for Rookwood, via Newtown station.

KINGCOTT.—LODGE.—The Officers and Members of Prince George, No. 17, are cordially invited to attend the Funeral of their late Brother, RICHARD KINGCOTT; leaving his late residence, Australia-street, Camperdown, THIS DAY, 1.15, for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown station.

MULVENEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. NICHOLAS MULVENEY and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SON and BROTHER, Sydney Mulveney; to leave 750 Illawarra-road, Marrickville, THIS DAY, at 1.15 p.m., for Newtown station, thence for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via No. 1 Mortuary.
G. ANDREWS, Newtown, Ashfield, and Burwood.

MULVENEY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. MULVENEY and FAMILY, and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. MULVENEY, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved NEPHEW and COUSIN Sydney; to leave his father's residence, 750 Illawarra-road, Marrickville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown.

MILLER.—The Friends of Mr. FRED. MILLER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jessie; to move from her residence, 51 Kent-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Director.

OLSEN.—The Friends of HENRY, CHARLES, GEORGE, ETHEL, and JESSIE OLSEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Jessie Miller; to move from her residence, 51 Kent-street, city, THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
W. N. BULL,
Funeral Director.

MILLER.—International Socialist Club.—Comrades are requested to attend the Funeral of Mrs. MILLER, late Wife of Com. F. MILLER; to leave 51 Kent-street, city, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood. Train leaves Mortuary station at 1.55.
H. DIERKS, Secretary.

MILLER.—International Socialist Club Liedertafel.—Comrades are requested to attend the Funeral of Mrs. MILLER, late wife of Com. F. Miller; to leave 51 Kent-street, city, THIS DAY, at 1 p.m., for Rookwood. Train leaves Mortuary station at 1.55.
N. LARTINEK, President.

NICOL.—The Friends of Mr. CHARLES NICOL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly loved WIFE, Herminia Ganson Nicol, which will leave her late residence, Yerroulbin, Louisa-road, Balmain, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Waverley.
WOOD, COFFILL, AND COMPANY, LTD.

NICOL.—The Friends of CAPTAIN CROMARTY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved SISTER, Herminia Ganson Nicol, which will leave her late residence, Yerroulbin, Louisa-road, Balmain, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Waverley.
WOOD, COFFILL, AND COMPANY, LTD.

ODELL.—The Friends of the late Mr. GEORGE HENRY GALE ODELL are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 134 [illegible]-street, Camperdown, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown Station.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker,
208 King-street, Newtown.

ODELL.—The Friends of Messrs. GEORGE, ERNEST, HARRY, and Misses IRIS and EVA ODELL, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, George Henry; to leave 134 [illegible]-street, Camperdown, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown Station.
F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker.

PIGOTT.—The Friends of Mrs. W. J. PIGOTT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND, William James; to leave St. Mary's Cathedral, THIS MONDAY, at 1.15 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
7 Elizabeth-street, city.
'Phones, City 6075 or 2077.

PIGOTT.—The Friends of JOHN J. and Miss PIGOTT are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, William James; to leave St. Mary's Cathedral, THIS MONDAY, at 1.15 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
Funeral Directors,
7 Elizabeth-street, city.

ROBERTS.—The Friends of the late Mrs. EMMA ROBERTS are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will leave her late residence, 18 Toxteth-road, Glebe Point, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
P. BYRNES and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors,
Phone M. 120. George-street West.

ROBERTS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. PLUNKETT, Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES HILLAR, and EMMA ROBERTS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved MOTHER, Emma Roberts, which will leave her late residence, 18 Toxteth-road, Glebe Point, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

ROBERTS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. BATHIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved SISTER, Emma Roberts, which will leave her late residence, 18 Toxteth-road, Glebe Point, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

ROBERTS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. TOM WRIGHT, Mr. and Mrs. A. CLARK, and Mr. and Mrs. H. STEWART are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Emma Roberts; which will leave her late residence, 18 Toxteth-road, Glebe Point, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
P. BYRNES AND COMPANY.

TURNER.—The Friends of Miss ELIZABETH TURNER are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will leave the residence of her Sister, Nurse Jackson, St. Elmo, Orient-street, Gladesville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Presbyterian Cemetery, Field of Mars.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

TURNER.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM TURNER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly-loved DAUGHTER and their SISTER, Lizzie; to leave the residence of her Sister, Nurse Jackson, St. Elmo, Orient-street, Gladesville, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Presbyterian Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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VANSELOW.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CARL VANSELOW, of 44 High-street, Miller's Point, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved Infant DAUGHTER, Marion Elizabeth, which will leave our Mortuary Chapel, 810 George-street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
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WATTS.—The Friends of Mrs. ANNIE G. WATTS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved SON and their BROTHER, George Christopher, which will leave his late residence, 122 Short-street, Balmain, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.15 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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FUNERALS.

WATTS.—THE FEDERATED BOILERMAKERS and IRON SHIPBUILDERS' UNION.—The Members of the above Union are invited to attend the Funeral of their late Member, GEORGE CHRISTOPHER WATTS, which will leave 122 Short-street, Balmain, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.15 o'clock, for Field of Mars Cemetery.
A. H. HAMPTON, Secretary.

WEYMOUTH.—The Relatives and Friends of the late CLARA WEYMOUTH are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her late residence, Lichfield, Wolga-road, Mosman, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.45 o'clock, for Gore Hill Cemetery.
WALTER BRUCE, Funeral Director,
280 Lane Cove-road, Crow's Nest.
'Phone, 922 N. Syd.

WONG BUN.—The Funeral of the late WONG BUN will leave our Funeral Parlours, 58 Botany-road, Alexandria, THIS MORNING, at 9.15, for Chinese Cemetery, Rookwood.
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TENDERS are invited, and will be received until 4 p.m. on MONDAY, March 15th, 1915, for Supply of CEMENT, up to 6000 casks.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. Specifications at Town Clerk's Office. Copy on application.
C. C. BLAZEY,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Richmond, Victoria.

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TENDERS are invited, and will be received until 4 p.m. on MONDAY, 15th March, 1915, for Supply and Erection at the Council's Quarry, Richmond, of one 16in x 9in STONECRUSHER.
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C. C. BLAZEY,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Richmond, Victoria,
5/3/'15.

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Sydney Harbour Trust Office,
Circular Quay, 5th March, 1915.

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TENDERS will be received at this office up to 2 p.m. on MONDAY, the 15th instant, for the Supply and delivery to the Trust of 1700 feet of JAVELIN HEAD PICKET RAILING for Retaining Wall, Jones Bay, Pyrmont.

Forms of Tender and full particulars may be obtained upon application to the Engineer-in-Chief of the Trust. Envelopes containing Tenders should be endorsed "Tender for Picket Railing, Jones Bay, Pyrmont."
HAROLD F. NORRIE,
(7a-35) Secretary.

MUNICIPALITY OF GRANVILLE.

TENDERS.

Sealed and endorsed TENDERS are hereby invited, and will be received up to 12 noon on SATURDAY, 12th March, 1915, for the Supply and Delivery of the undermentioned Materials for the period ending 29th February, 1916, viz.:—

1. Blue Metal.
2. Stone Ballast.
3. Coal Tar.
4. Portland Cement.
5. Gravel.
6. Sand.

Specifications and Conditions of Tender may be obtained at the Town Hall on the deposit of £1, which will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
I. W. ADAMS,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Granville,
4/3/'15.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SYDNEY.
TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED and ENDORSED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for the following:—
(a) SUPPLY, DELIVERY, and ERECTION of a 12,000 K.W. TURBO ALTERNATOR at the POWER-HOUSE.
Tenders for (a) Close 3 p.m. MONDAY, the 19th JULY, 1915.
(b) PROVIDING and LAYING of SULPHURIC ACID PROOF FLOOR at the PHILLIP-STREET SUB-STATION.
Tenders for (b) Close 3 p.m. MONDAY, the 29th MARCH, 1915.

Specification, etc., in respect of (a) may be seen free of charge upon application at the Electric Light Department, Town Hall, Sydney, and copies may be obtained from such Office upon payment of the sum of 10 6 direct into the City Treasury. Full particulars in respect of (b) may be obtained upon application at the Office of the City Building Surveyor, Town Hall, Sydney.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
TENDERERS please note that they must pay their CASH DEPOSITS direct into the City Treasury, and NOT enclose same with their Tenders, otherwise their Tenders will be rejected as INFORMAL.
THOMAS H. NESBITT,
Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney,
4th March, 1915.

PLASTERING.—TENDERS requested, Garage, opp. Town Hall, Mosman, MONDAY, 9 o'clock.
FREDK. NICHOLLS, Architect.

PLUMBING.—Tenders, Shop and Dwelling, Thompson-st and Lyons-rd. H. Connolly.

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Sydney Harbour Trust Office,
Circular Quay, 5th March, 1915.

STEEL WORK.

TENDERS will be received at this office up to 2 p.m. on MONDAY, the 15th instant, for the Supply and delivery to the Trust of MILD STEEL FORGED FITTINGS for Pile Cylinders, Jones Bay, Pyrmont.
Forms of Tender and full particulars may be obtained upon application to the Engineer-in-Chief of the Trust. Envelopes containing Tenders should be endorsed "Tender for Mild Steel Forged Fittings for Pile Cylinders."
HAROLD F. NORRIE,
(7a-20) Secretary.

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LECTURES.

ST. ANDREW'S THEOLOGICAL HALL.
Owing to the indisposition of Professor ANGUS, the opening Lecture, which was to be delivered on Tuesday Evening, is POSTPONED to a later date.
RONALD G. McINTYRE,
President of Faculty.

VICTORIA RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

CARLITA WINS CHAMPION STAKES.

EURETTA, GIBSON-CARMICHAEL STAKES.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The V.R.C. concluded its autumn meeting to-day under favourable conditions, the weather not being too warm. The attendance was a splendid one, and the running track was in good order.

Backers started the day well by making Achernar favourite for the Elms Handicap, a seven furlongs race restricted to three-year-olds. Achernar won easily by three-quarters of a length from Miss Meadows, who was second favourite, while Sanctity was two and a half lengths away, third.

Of the 25 figuring on the card for the Gibson-Carmichael Stakes, only 10 went to the post. For a time Bob Sprightly was favourite, but at the finish Celosia was in most demand. Euretta made the pace until two furlongs from home, where Celosia took a slight lead, while Dame Quickly was handy on the outside. They ran in close order to the half distance, where Euretta came again, and, in the end, beat Celosia by a neck, while Dame Quickly was a similar distance away third. Celosia failed to stay. This was the winner's first victory. He was bred by the Messrs. Moses Bros., in New South Wales, and he cost Mr. W. P. Mein 340 guineas as a yearling. Serenata broke through the barrier, and dislodged her rider. She took no part in the race.

Dollar Dictator was favourite for the Northcote Handicap; Hamburg Belle was next in demand, and there was support for Allansford, Meerut, and Atora. The running was made by Allansford, who was joined before reaching the home turn by Dollar Dictator and Coronatus. Dollar Dictator was first into the straight, but, at the two furlongs post, Allansford was in front again. Meerut took command at the distance, and, holding Allansford safe to the finish, won by three-quarters of a length, while Hamburg Belle got third place. A protest against the winner for interference in the straight was entered by J. Hull, the rider of Allansford. The stipendiary stewards dismissed the protest, and, considering it frivolous, fined Hull £5.

There were 10 starters for the Autumn Steeplechase, and the South Australian representative, El Progreso, who had won the March Steeplechase, was a strong favourite. Early backers got 4 to 1 about him, but at finish 9 to 4 was the best price available; while Fireworks, Barfleur, Moonbarra, and Gold Vale were the best backed of the others. El Progreso was always in a good position, and won easily by three lengths from Moonbarra, who cut Gold Vale out of second place in the last 50 yards. Only five finished. Topmast, The Miser, and W.T.S. lost their riders; Barfleur fell, and Enchanted States ran off. None of the riders or horses sustained serious injuries. The winner is a splendid jumper.

The Champion Stakes came next. De Gama was regarded as an unlikely starter overnight, but he duly took his place in the field, and there were six other starters. This was the largest field for many years; and Land of Song opened favourite, but at the finish big money came for De Gama, who eventually went out in most request. Bon Ton was the backers' next pick, but long odds were available about Carlita. She started at 12 to 1, but some backers got 16 to 1. As soon as they settled into their places, Carlita took command, and, making strong pace throughout, led from start to finish. She was never allowed to get a break on the field, but was always going well within herself. Land of Song made his effort in the straight, and finished resolutely enough, but Carlita, however, came home full of running, and won by a length and a half in the good time of 5m 26½s. The victory of the filly came as a great surprise after her poor showing in the St. Leger and the Loch Plate. She was ridden in those events by R. Lewis, but he was required for Bon Ton on Saturday, and the Sydney jockey, K. Bracken took his place on Carlita. It was the first time he had ridden in a Champion race. Carlita won the V.R.C. Derby and Oaks in the spring in easy fashion, but her running in her previous two races at the fixture just over gave the impression that she had gone off. She won in her best style, however, and it is hard to account for her previous failures. Possibly her two previous races improved her. Lewis rode her in front in the St. Leger, and tried waiting tactics in the Loch Plate, but the result was equally unsatisfactory. Carlita cost her present owners (Messrs. "Rogers" and "Rivers") only 125 guineas as a yearling. Land of Song was ridden a much better race by Killorn than in the Loch Plate, but the horse did not quite come up to expectations; and De Gama, though he finished third, was a disappointment. There was apparently good ground for supposing that he is not quite himself. Bon Ton is a little horse; while Hayston did not show up as well as he did in the Loch Plate.

Nine starters were found for the Farewell Handicap, and The Lintie, who had run a good race in the Bourke Handicap, was always a strong favourite; while Tadanga, Golden Wire, and Dhuldhul were the best backed of the others. The Lintie quite failed to run up to her form of the second day, and, after being interfered with near the home turn (when she dropped back last), was never dangerous. Philio and Tadanga were responsible for the running, but as soon as the straight was entered, Tadanga came to the front, and, though she was fading away as the post was approached, lasted long enough to win by a neck from Philio, who was a rank outsider, while Golden Wire was a good third.

Appended are the details of the racing:—

ELMS HANDICAP.—Sweepstake of 3 sovs each, with 300 added, second horse to receive 60 and third horse 30 sovs out of the stake. 7f.
Mr. D. Clark's b g Achernar, by The Welkin (imp.)—Anduisite, 7st 11lb (R. Lewis) 1
Mr. W. Hickenbotham's br f Miss Meadows, 7st 9lb (R. Smart) 2
Mr. "S. A. Rawdon's" Sanctity, all, 5lb, carr, 8st 12lb (A. Renny) 3

Other starters: Brightwater, 7st 9lb, inc. 2lb over; Lindean, 7st 5lb; Phylactery, 7st 5lb; Lavendo, 7st 5lb; Tufa, 8st 7lb; Clanyard, 8st 7lb.

Betting: 5 to 4 v Achernar, 3 to 1 v Miss Meadows, 7 to 1 v Sanctity, 10 to 1 v Phylactery, 15 to 1 v Lindean.

Tufa was the first away, and led at the abattoirs from Sanctity, Miss Meadows, and Achernar. The order was the same at the sheds. Tufa piloted the field round the turn, Miss Meadows, Sanctity, Achernar, and Phylactery being his nearest attendants. Miss Meadows headed Tufa at the distance, but was cut down a few strides further on by the favourite, who won by three-quarters of a length, with Sanctity two and a half lengths away third. Tufa was fourth. Phylactery and Lindean followed; then, after a gap of 15 lengths, came Lavendo and Brightwater, with Clanyard last. Time, 1m 28s.

GIBSON CARMICHAEL STAKES.—A handicap sweepstakes of 6 sovs each, with 500 added; second horse to receive 125 and the third 75 sovs out of the stake. For two-years-old. 7f.
Mr. W. Mein's b c Euretta, by Earlston (imp)—Miss Symington, 8st 7lb (R. Smart) 1
Mr. G. Woodforde's b f Celosia, by Linacre (imp.)—Gaillardia, 8st 12lb (L. Fisher) 2
Mr. R. Crawford's b f Dame Quickly, by Bardolph (imp.)—Carlielee, 8st 7lb (K. Tucker) 3

Other starters: Twizel, 7st 13lb (Kelly), One, 7st 11lb (Lewis); Bob Sprightly, 7st 9lb; Thraso; Serenata, Fastolf, and Bonville.

Betting: 3 to 1 v Celosia, 9 to 2 v Bob Sprightly, 5 to 1 v One, 6 to 1 v Twizel, 8 to 1 each v Thraso and Bonville, 33 to 1 each v Euretta and Dame Quickly.

Serenata broke through the barrier, dislodging her rider, and galloped away. Euretta and Bob Sprightly were the first to move, and the former led past the six-furlong post from Twizel, Bob Sprightly, Celosia, and Bonville. Euretta was in front at the sheds from Thraso, Twizel, and Celosia, while Bob Sprightly dropped back second last, with Fastolf whipping in. Euretta was first round the turn from Thraso and Celosia, and led into the straight from Celosia and Dame Quickly. Celosia headed Euretta at the two-furlongs post, but Euretta came again on the rails, and won in a good finish by a neck from Celosia, with Dame Quickly a neck away. One was fourth, then came Thraso and Twizel, with Bob Sprightly last. Time, 1m 30s.

NORTHCOTE HANDICAP.—A sweepstakes of 4 sovs each, with 400 added; second horse to receive 80 and the third 40 sovs out of the stake. 1¼m.
Mr. W. McCulloch's b g Meerut, by Duke of Melton (imp.)—Mario, 7st 13lb (P. Kelly) 1
Mr. J. Roberts' br h Allansford, 7st 1lb (J. Hull) 2
Mr. Robertson's ch m Hamburg Belle, 7st 9lb (J. Accola) 3

Other starters: Pistol King, 8st (J. Campbell); Dollar Dictator, 8st 3lb (McLachlan); Atora, 8st 11lb (Lambert); Coronatus, 6st 9lb (R. Smart).

Betting: 3 to 1 v Dollar Dictator, 4 to 1 v Hamburg Belle, 6 to 1 each v Allansford and Meerut, 7 to 1 v Atora, 10 to 1 v Coronatus, 15 to 1 v Pistol King.

From a good start Meerut and Dollar Dictator were the quickest away, but Allansford immediately went to the front, and was three lengths in advance of the favourite leaving the straight; then coming, six lengths further back, Hamburg Belle, Meerut, and Coronatus. The order was unchanged at the riverside. Allansford and Dollar Dictator were together at the bridge, and Meerut next. At the sheds Allansford, Coronatus, and Dollar Dictator were together. Dollar Dictator had a slight lead entering the straight from Allansford, Coronatus, and Meerut. Meerut put in a claim at the distance, and, finishing well, won by three-quarters of a length, Hamburg Belle being three lengths away third, Atora fourth, Dollar Dictator next, with Pistol King last all the way. Time, 2m 36½s.

AUTUMN STEEPLECHASE, a handicap sweepstakes of 3 sovs each, with 400 added; second horse to receive 80 and third horse 40 sovs out of the stake. 3m 1f.
Mr. A. Lord's b g El Progreso, by Go-Ahead—Dairymaid, 11st (A. Hawkins) 1
Mr. C. W. Leonard's br g Moonbarra, 10st 13lb (J. Edwards) 2
Mr. J. Mills's bl g Gold Vale, 10st 8lb (H. Morgan) 3

Other starters: The Miser, 10st 4lb (Robertson); W.T.S., 10st 4lb (Bird); Fireworks, 10st (O'Connell); Westport, 9st 7lb (Deeble); Barfleur, 9st 7lb (Hagerty); Topmast, 9st 10lb, inc. 8lb over (Burris); Enchanted States, 9st 1lb, inc. 1lb over (Koops).

Betting: 9 to 4 v El Progreso, 6 to 1 v Fireworks, 7 to 1 each v Barfleur and Moonbarra, 8 to 1 v Gold Vale, 12 to 1 v The Miser.

W.T.S. was the first away, but Westport led over the first fence from The Miser, Gold Vale, W.T.S., Barfleur, and Moonbarra, with El Progreso and Enchanted States last. The Miser took up the running at the back of the course, and showed the way round the turn from Topmast, Gold Vale, W.T.S., El Progreso, and Moonbarra, all being well together. Moonbarra was the leader over the first of the treble, from The Miser and Gold Vale; then came El Progreso and W.T.S. Topmast, who was last, lost his rider. Gold Vale was in front leaving the straight, but he was supplanted at the bridge by Moonbarra, who led Gold Vale, Fireworks and El Progreso. The Miser losing his rider. Moonbarra was just in front of Gold Vale and El Progreso at the back of the course where Barfleur fell and Enchanted States ran off. W.T.S. lost his rider at the sheds. El Progreso came round the turn in the lead, and, though Gold Vale was first over the last fence, the favourite immediately resumed command, and won easily by three lengths from Moonbarra, with Gold Vale a neck away. Fireworks was a bad fourth, and Westport, two furlongs away, last. Time, 6m 36½s.

CHAMPION STAKES, sweepstakes of 8 sovs each, with 1500 added; second horse to receive 300, and third 200 sovs out of the stakes. For three-years-old and upwards. 3m.
Messrs. Rogers and Rivers's b or br f Carlita, by Charlemagne II.—Couronne, 3yrs, 7st 10lb (K. Bracken) 1
Mr. N. Falkiner's ch h Land of Song, 4yrs, 9st 11lb (J. Killorn) 2
Mr. F. Davis's ch h De Gama, 4yrs, 9st (W. M'Lachlan) 3

Other starters: Bon Ton, 9st 5lb (Lewis); Abbey Craig, 9st 2lb (Want); Mountain Oak, 9st 2lb (Kelly); Hayston, 7st 11lb (W. Smart).

Betting: 7 to 4 v De Gama, 2 to 1 v Land of Song, 3 to 1 v Bon Ton, 12 to 1 v Carlita, 15 to 1 v Hayston, 50 to 1 each v others.

Hayston was the first off, but Carlita went to the front passing the judge's box, and made the early running a length clear from Hayston; then came Abbey Craig, and after a gap Land of Song, De Gama, and Bon Ton. That order was much the same at the turn, except that Land of Song dropped back last. Passing the judge's box the second time, Carlita was two lengths ahead of Hayston; then followed Mountain Oak and Land of Song, with De Gama last. That order was unchanged to the bridge, where Carlita was leading Hayston by three lengths, with Land of Song and De Gama next. Carlita led round the turn from Land of Song, Hayston, and De Gama. Land of Song was within a length of the filly entering the straight, but Carlita, finishing stronger, came away again and despite a last effort by Land of Song, won by one and a half-lengths, De Gama being three lengths away third; Hayston was eight lengths off fourth; then Bon Ton, with Mountain Oak last. Time, 5m 26½s.

FAREWELL HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 4 sovs each, with 400 added; second horse to receive 80 and the third 40 sovs out of the stake. 1m.
Mr. R. M. Hawker's b m Tadanga, by Pistol (imp.)—Cardinal and Black, 5yrs, 8st 8lb (W. Foulsham) 1
Mr. H. Power's ch g Philio, 8st 5lb (W. Holland) 2
Mr. F. Meyers's b g Golden Wire, 9st 3lb (L. Fisher) 3

Other starters: First Principle, 8st 9lb (Walker); Dhuldhul, 8st (Killorn); The Lintie, 7st 9lb (Minter); Fidelio, 7st 4lb (O'Reilly); Lucky Bean, 6st 13lb, all, 8lb (W. H. Bird); Cock of the North, 6st 7lb (R. Smart).

Betting: 3 to 1 v The Lintie, 5 to 1 each v Tadanga and Golden Wire, 6 to 1 v Dhuldhul, 8 to 1 v Fidelio, 10 to 1 v First Principle, 15 to 1 v Cock of the North, 25 to 1 v Philio.

The Lintie hopped off quickest, but as soon as they settled down, Tadanga and Philio took up the running from Golden Wire and Dhuldhul, the field being well together. Philio was just in front of Tadanga at the sheds; then came Golden Wire, Dhuldhul, and First Principle. Philio had a slight lead at the turn from Tadanga and Dhuldhul. Tadanga, on the rails, was in front at the two furlongs post from Philio and Golden Wire. Tadanga stalled off the challenges thrown out by Philio and Golden Wire, and won by a neck, with Golden Wire half a length away. Dhuldhul was fourth, First Principle and The Lintie next, and Fidelio last. Time, 1m 41s.

THE STAKES.

The stakes distributed at the meeting amounted to £21,538. The principal winners were:—Messrs. "S. A. Rawdon" (first Newmarket Handicap £2505, first Loch Plate £573, first March Nursery £266, third Elms Handicap £30), £3464; N. Falkiner (first Sires' Produce Stakes £1158, first Essendon Stakes £748, second Ascot Vale Stakes £200, second Loch Plate £150, second Champion Stakes £300), £2556; L. Robertson (first Australian Cup £2298, third Northcote Handicap £40), £2338; E. E. D. Clarke (first Ascot Vale Stakes £1058, first Elms Handicap £258, third Sires' Produce Stakes £75, second March Nursery £60), £1451; E. J. Watt (first St. Leger Stakes £1206, third C. M. Lloyd Stakes £100), £1306; J. Mills (first C. M. Lloyd Stakes £778, first Bourke Handicap £497), £1275; P. Roger and J. Rivers (first Champion Stakes £1046, third St. Leger £100, third Loch Plate £75), £1221; A. J. Lord (first Autumn Steeplechase £317, first March Steeplechase £238), £555; A. M'Farlane (second Newmarket, £300; J. Mills and P. T. Heywood, second Australia Cup, £300; P. A. Connolly, third Newmarket Handicap £250, second C. M. Lloyd Stakes £200), £450; F. C. Davis (second Essendon Stakes £200, third Champion Stakes £200), £400; S. Hordern (first Autumn Handicap, £308; W. P. Mein, first Gibson-Carmichael Stakes, £392; R. M. Hawker, first Farewell Handicap, £365; W. M'Culloch, first Northcote Handicap, £334; H. W. Morton, first Brunswick Stakes, £298; A. T. Creswick, first Autumn Hurdles, £275; Sir William Cooper, first Hopeful Stakes, £274; H. L. Cumming, first Junior Handicap, £273; Messrs. Baillieu, first River Handicap, £270; A. M'Innes, first Pines Hurdle Race, £250; L. Falkiner, third Australian Cup, £250; J. V. Smith (second Sires' Produce Stakes £150, third Ascot Vale Stakes £100), £250; F. Burn, second St. Leger Stakes, £200; F. S. Meyers (second Bourke Handicap £100, third Farewell handicap £40), £140; G. Woodforde, second Gibson Carmichael Stakes, £125; W. Standley, third Essendon Stakes, £100; J. Mills (second March Steeple £60, third Autumn Steeple £40), £100; and P. T. Heywood, second Autumn Handicap, £100.

CRICKET.

SECTIONAL PLAY COMMENCED.

BATTING SUCCESSES.

M'LEAN AND COLLINS SCORE 111.

NORTH SYDNEY'S FINE STAND.

The first round of sectional play was commenced on Saturday in perfect weather. With two exceptions the teams batting first made good use of their opportunities, three totals over 300 being recorded. The teams that failed were Waverley 151 against Western Suburbs, and Balmain 102 against Sydney, who have already gained a substantial lead on the first innings. North Sydney, who are leading in the competition, performed excellently against University, and are practically safe from defeat.

Following are the results of the play:—
North Sydney, five for 331, against University.
Waverley, 151, against Western Suburbs, two for 92.
Gordon, 350, against Glebe.
Balmain, 102, against Sydney, seven for 198.
Central Cumberland, 320, against Middle Harbour, none for 8.
Petersham, 229, against Redfern, none for 12.

THE HONOUR LIST.

BATTING.

H. L. Collins	111	R. Jones	62*
H. A. McLean	111	G. S. Hall	62
L. W. Chamberlain	93*	W. E. Clark	60*
Sid Thomas	78	H. Cranney	59
R. V. Minnett	77	H. Carter	58
Rev. E. F. Waddy	75	R. Wenholz	50

* Not out.

BOWLING.

J. A. Randell, seven for 121.
A. A. Mailey, five for 78.
E. Coffey, four for 15.
F. H. Dupain, four for 35.
P. W. Dive, four for 39.
J. Grimmett, four for 55.
L. Wall, four for 72.

North Sydney occupied the wickets all the afternoon against University, losing five wickets for 331. Frendin was caught early, but R. V. and L. A. Minnett scored rapidly, 50 being put up in half-an-hour. R. V. Minnett had the greater part of the bowling, and was 63 when his brother was bowled by Gregg for 30. Moore was run out before he could get going, and then R. V. Minnett was dismissed by an accurate return from the outfield. He scored 77 (eight fours) in a shade under two hours by stylish batting. Hall and Chamberlain made another good stand (105) for the fifth wicket, the latter back-cutting Minnett's fast-medium balls in great style. His vigorous batting greatly delighted the spectators. Hall played very soundly for 62 (80 minutes), and hit eight fours. Chamberlain carried out his bat for 93 (90 minutes), which is more in keeping with a player of interstate reputation than his previous efforts. Punch also batted well for 31, not out. Roy Minnett and Gregg, who obtained wickets, bowled best, though mastered by the batsmen, and the University fielding was an improvement on previous matches, Lamrock, Barbour, and McGuiness being conspicuous. The displays given by Chamberlain, R. V. Minnett, and Hall were chanceless.

Waverley batsmen made a sorry show against Western Suburbs on the picturesque Waverley Oval, as on a good wicket they were routed for 151. And as Western Suburbs have lost only two wickets for 92, Waverley's position appears hopeless. Carter 58, and Kippax 24, were the only batsmen to give any trouble. Carter batted excellently, and hit eight fours. Pite, Davis, Callaway, and Gregory totalled 25 between them. Myers and Prentice, with 32 and 25 respectively, put on 50 runs, and will continue their effort next Saturday. Dupain, Dive, and P. W. Docker carried off the bowling honours for Western Suburbs, Dive taking four for 39 and Dupain four for 35.

Glebe had an afternoon in the field against Gordon, who scored 350 runs in three and a half hours. At one period of play seven wickets were down for 161 runs, but the remaining batsmen added 189 runs. There were three partnerships of over 60 runs, the third wicket adding 63, the eighth 68, and M'Lean and Shortland 92 runs for the nine wickets. M'Lean's 111 (2 hours 20 minutes) was an excellent effort. He was especially strong on the leg side. He scored 16 in one over from Forsberg and 18 off one of Wild's. He hit 19 fours and two sixes. Boyce again played in excellent form for 47. Shortland hit well for 46 (35 min.), including four fours in succession off Bardsley. He notched eight fours. Gee (43, who was brilliantly run out from a smart return by Forsberg) gave an easy chance to Oberg first ball. Macartney was out early for 1. Kelleway two for 62 and Cullen two for 60 were Glebe's best bowlers. Glebe's general fielding was moderate.

At Birchgrove Sydney unexpectedly routed Balmain for 102, and then Collins (111) and Fusedale (43), going in first, headed that total before they were separated. However, that superiority was not maintained, as when stumps were drawn eight wickets had fallen for 198 runs, Coffey (14) being the only other double-figure contributor. Collins's century included 14 fours. The feature of Balmain's innings was Jones's performance of going in first and carrying his bat out for 62 (eight fours). Coffey's four for 14 was an effective bit of bowling for Sydney. Grimmett took four for 55.

At Sydney Cricket Ground, Goddard won the toss from Norton, and sent Petersham in to bat. Redfern were without Foster, for whom a substitute was allowed to field. The innings totalled 229, as the result of three hours' batting. Andrews 48, and Wenholz 50, added 95 for the second wicket in 68 minutes by attractive batting. Wenholz occupied the crease for 92 minutes. Five wickets were down for 140 when Clark went in. He batted freely, hitting seven fours, and at the close of the innings remained unconquered for 60, compiled in 74 minutes. The total of 229 was scored off 59 overs—an average of just over 4. The fielding of Redfern was patchy, several chances being missed, but the effort of Adams, in dismissing Andrews, was particularly good. In playing a forcing shot the ball was hit high to mid-on. Adams, who had to run and dive, just reached the ball and turned a somersault, but effected the catch. Mailey was the only bowler to appear dangerous, all being freely scored from. He commenced bowling when 35 runs had been scored for the loss of one wicket. His first success came at 111, and he had five for 78 when relieved at 224, having bowled 22 overs unchanged. Redfern had 17 minutes to bat, and scored 12 without loss. The game is in an interesting position.

Central Cumberland were "at home" to Middle Harbour at the Parramatta Oval. Batting first, Cumberland started so well that the first wicket did not fall until within two of the century, and 214 was on the board before the second batsman was dismissed. Then Randell's bowling played havoc with the remaining men, and the last eight wickets fell for an addition of 106 runs. Cranney 59 (10 fours), Sid Thomas 78, the Rev. E. F. Waddy 75, O. S. Smith 32, and Pye 25, were the chief rungetters. Cranney was in his best mood, and hit five successive fours off Randell's bowling. Thomas and Waddy put on 116 for the second wicket. Each hit nine fours. Randell sent down 188 balls for 122 runs and seven wickets. He performed the hat trick, his victims being Watsford, Best, and Strange. Middle Harbour, who have no wickets down for eight, did not field well.

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"A" DIVISION.

NORTH SYDNEY v UNIVERSITY.
Commenced at North Sydney Oval.
North Sydney.—First Innings.

E. Frendin, c M'Caffery, b Minnett	6
R. V. Minnett, thrown out by [illegible]	77
L. A. Minnett, b Gregg	30
G. S. Moore, run out	3
G. S. Hall, b Gregg	62
L. W. Chamberlain, not out	93
A. Punch, not out	31
Sundries	29
Five wickets for	331

Bowling.—Minnett, one for 94; Farrar, none for 34; Gregg, two for 81; Barbour, none for 70; Best, none for 23.

WAVERLEY v WESTERN SUBURBS.
Commenced at Waverley Oval.
Waverley.—First Innings.

W. E. Pite, c Diamond, b Dupain	6
H. Carter, c Diamond, b Dupain	58
H. Davis, c Prentice, b Dive	11
N. Callaway, b Dupain	1
A. Kippax, b P. W. Docker	24
H. Jones, c K. Docker, b Dupain	12
S. E. Gregory, b Dive	7
J. Flynn, c Murray, b Dive	7
H. O'Connor, not out	6
S. Shea, c Diamond, b P. W. Docker	4
C. Sheppard, b Dive	1
Sundries	14
Total	151

Bowling.—Dupain, four wickets for 35; Murray, none for 18; P. W. Docker, two for 45; Dive, four for 39.

Western Suburbs.—First Innings.

H. G. Pratten, b Flynn	11
A. Diamond, c Callaway, b Sheppard	19
J. Myers, not out	32
W. S. Prentice, not out	25
Sundries	5
Two wickets for	92

"B" DIVISION.

GORDON v GLEBE.
Commenced at Chatswood.
Gordon.—First Innings.

G. Wheatley, b Kelleway	3
R. C. M. Boyce, b Kelleway	47
C. G. Macartney, c Hogue, b Cullen	1
D. Gee, run out	43
S. Freeman, c Kelleway, b Cullen	14
C. Trumper, thrown out by Buckle	11
H. McLean, run out	111
V. Y. Deane, b Fosberg	9
R. Brodie, st Taylor, b Wild	27
R. Shortland, c Oberg, b Graves	46
F. Reed, not out	8
Sundries	30
Total	350

Bowling.—Kelleway, two for 62; Cullen, two for 60; Wild, one for 54; Fossberg, one for 46; Graves, one for 30; Hogue, none for 13; Bardsley, none for 28; Buckle, none for 18.

BALMAIN v SYDNEY.
Commenced at Birchgrove Oval.
Balmain.—First Innings.

C. Selden, st Wright, b Grimmett	2
R. Jones, not out	62
A. Ratcliffe, run out	12
R. J. Folkard, lbw, b Coffey	5
H. Love, b Coffey	0
H. Merchant, c Achurch, b Grimmett	6
W. Whittle, run out	0
P. S. Arnott, b Grimmett	1
C. R. Gordon, b Coffey	7
W. B. Bailey, b Coffey	2
L. Wall, b Grimmett	0
Sundries	5
Total	102

Bowling.—Collins, none for 27; Grimmett, four for 55; Coffey, four for 15.

Sydney.—First Innings.

H. L. Collins, c Selden, b Wall	111
R. Fusedale, c Ratcliffe, b Whittle	43
W. Cohen, b Wall	0
A. D'Archy, b Wall	2
E. Coffey, b Wall	14
J. Grimmett, c Bailey, b Arnott	1
C. Smith, c Wall, b Arnott	2
F. Toby, not out	9
C. Achurch, not out	7
Sundries	9
Seven wickets for	198

Bowling.—Folkard, none for 36; Wall, four for 72; Arnott, two for 31; Merchant, none for 14; Whittle, one for 33.

"C" DIVISION.

REDFERN v PETERSHAM.
Commenced at Sydney Cricket Ground No. 1.
Petersham.—First Innings.

A. W. Norris, b Russell	6
R. Wenholz, c Lindsay, b Mailey	50
T. J. E. Andrews, c Adam, b Mailey	48
R. R. Mackenzie, b Garry	17
J. S. Norton, b Mailey	9
J. D. Scott, b Mailey	5
W. E. Clark, not out	60
J. Garner, b Mailey	13
R. E. Brown, run out	2
R. W. Law, b Adams	12
F. B. Sedgers, b Garry	4
Sundries	3
Total	229

Bowling.—Russell, one for 32; Goddard, none for 32; O'Connor, none for 12; Mailey, five for 78; Adams, one for 25; Garry, two for 37.

Redfern.—First Innings.

G. E. Thatcher, not out	5
H. Goddard, not out	7
No wicket for	12

Bowling.—Scott, none for 7; Andrews, none for 5.

CENTRAL CUMBERLAND v MIDDLE HARBOUR.
Commenced at Parramatta.
Central Cumberland.—First Innings.

H. Cranney, c Lowe, b Randell	59
Sid Thomas, c Bull, b Randell	78
Rev. E. F. Waddy, b Walton	75
L. M. Cadle, c Dunlop, b Randell	19
L. W. Pye, run out	25
O. S. Smith, c Mackinlay, b Walton	32
F. Watsford, c Anderson, b Randall	9
G. Best, b Randell	0
R. B. Strange, b Randell	0
R. C. Coogan, lbw, b Randell	11
E. Fathers, not out	0
Sundries	12
Total	320

Bowling: Randell, seven for 121; Bull, none for 50; Tracey, none for 32; Neville, none for 27; Walton, two for 78.

Middle Harbour.—First Innings.

C. Neville, not out	1
W. Driver, not out	7
No wickets for	8

Paddington had the bye.

SECOND GRADE.

PETERSHAM v UNIVERSITY.
Commenced at University Oval. University, first innings 258 (Leahy 67). Petersham, five for 122.

WAVERLEY v WESTERN SUBURBS.
Commenced at St. Luke's Oval, Concord. Western Suburbs, 199 (Shiels 57, Walker 57); Waverley, five for 84.

GORDON v BALMAIN.
Commenced at Alexandria Oval. Gordon, 188 (Hall 100); Balmain, eight for 108.

GLEBE v MARRICKVILLE.
Commenced at Marrickville Oval. Marrickville, 215 (Adams 77); Glebe, four for 22.

MOSMAN v RANDWICK.
Commenced at Mosman Oval. Randwick, 267 (Holley 124, Chapman 74 not out); Mosman, two for 35.

ST. GEORGE v PADDINGTON.
Commenced at Hampden Oval. St. George, 158; Paddington, one for 41.

NEWTOWN v NORTH SYDNEY.
Commenced at Sydney Cricket Ground, No. 2. Newtown, nine for 275 (Taylor 64, Carroll 54 not out).

SYDNEY v LEICHHARDT.
Commenced at Leichhardt Oval. Sydney, 341 (Marshall 124, Stack 97); Leichhardt, one for 11.

Redfern forfeited to Middle Harbour, and Central Cumberland have the bye.

THIRD GRADE.

CENTRAL CUMBERLAND v LEICHHARDT.
Commenced at Australian Rules Ground. Central Cumberland, 75; Leichhardt, 89.

ST. GEORGE v PADDINGTON.
Commenced at Hurstville Oval. St. George, 256 (Bisset 82); Paddington, one for 27.

PETERSHAM v UNIVERSITY.
Commenced at Petersham Oval. Petersham, 202 (Cocks 50); University, nine for 91.

WAVERLEY v GORDON.
Commenced at Waverley Oval, No. 2. Waverley, 154 (Warton 56); Gordon, 86 (Watt 52).

NORTH SYDNEY v RANDWICK.
Commenced at Randwick Oval. Randwick, 214 (Garvey 51); North Sydney, three for 67.

SYDNEY v WESTERN SUBURBS.
Commenced at Jubilee Park. Sydney, 148; Western Suburbs, eight for 133.

BALMAIN v MARRICKVILLE.
Commenced at Birchgrove Oval. Balmain, 95, and five for 61; Marrickville, 104 (Ferrier 77).

MOSMAN v GLEBE.
Commenced at Wentworth Park Oval. Mosman, five for 302 (Holdsworth 115, Parsons 95, Cooke 67 not out).

Redfern have the bye.

JUNIOR COMPETITIONS.

MOORE PARK ASSOCIATION.
A Grade.—Pick Shield Competition.
Ultimo, 117 (O'Brien 54) against St. David's, eight for 98.
Sydney Junior A., 201 (B. Cope 66) against Victoria Park, four for 51.
Palace Emporium, eight for 182 (Brown 74 not out) against Erskineville, 55.
Wanderers received a forfeit from Tramway.

B Grade.
Glenroy received a forfeit from Darlinghurst.
Gibson, Battle, and Co., 79 and two for 44, against Simmons, Ltd., 63.
Vice Regal received a forfeit from Harbour Trust Employees, and Police, one from East Sydney. Eltham had the bye.

C Grade.
Newtown Mission, 94, against Petersham United, 52 and three for 20.
Surrey, 53, against Rudders, Ltd., 50 and four for 31.
Redfern Kent, 132, against G.P.O. Juniors, 67.
Ivanhoe Juniors received a forfeit from Redfern United.

CENTENNIAL PARK ASSOCIATION.
A Grade.—Hordern Shield Competition.
Oriental, five for 355, declared closed (Powell 108 not out, Taylor 105 not out, James 51) beat Gladstone, 177 and 31 (Roberts 82).
Surrey United B., six for 279 (Mulligan 94 not out, Young 63) beat Surrey United, 275 (Jones 102, Kennedy 50 not out).
Gordons, 130 and seven for 96 (Oakes 35 and 51) beat Glemmis, 108.
Little Coogee had the bye.

B Grade.—First Division.
Woollahra Alberts, 322 (R. Thompson 166 not out) beat Standard, 161 and 59.
Randwick received a forfeit from Paling's, and Carlton one from Rushcutter Bay.

B Grade.—Second Division.
Thos. Cooke and Co., four for 277, declared (J. Ogilvie 106, Elmsby 80 not out) beat Kensington, 119 and 128.
White House, 132, beat Newland Bros., 55 and 65.
Marylebone received a forfeit from C.M.M. Guild.
Randwick, six for 130, beat Imperial, 108.

EASTERN SUBURBS ASSOCIATION.
A Grade.
Marylebone, 76 and eight for 125, beat Matraville, 145 and 53.
Albions, 149 and 95, beat St. Benedict's, 180 and six for 75.

B Grade.
Eureka, two for 96 (Todd 48 not out) drew with Randwick Avoca, eight for 139, declared (Schill 62 not out).
St. Paul's had the bye.

NORTH SYDNEY ASSOCIATION.
A Grade.—St. Leonards Cup.
Christ Church, 122 and four for 114 (C. Campbell 28 and 67 not out), beat Westleigh, 96 and six for 170, declared (Humphries 39 and 101 not out).
Kirribilli, 207 (H. Gray 100), beat Good Intent M. M., 161, and seven for 77.
Chatswood School of Arts, 182 and 90, beat North Sydney Institute, 87 and two for 60.
Willoughby, 178 (B. Wheatley 64), beat Neutral Bay, 170 (Poole 63, Cheal 57).

B Grade.—J. Deane Cup.
Willoughby, 251 (Leafe 94), beat St. Peters, 75 and 64.
North Sydney Royals, 69 and 110 (Rogers 41), v Good Intent M.U.

WESTERN SUBURBS ASSOCIATION.
First Grade.
Newtown Congregational, 87 (Crum 39) and two for 57, beat Newtown Oxford, 20 and 122. For winners: W. Bower, five for 9 (hat trick) and five for 30; F. Robinson, five for 9. For losers: King, five for 17.
Camperdown, 457 (G. Morgan 142, Millham 71, Hayes 58 not out), beat Botany, 40 and seven for 97 (Reynolds 67 not out).
Alexandria Thelma beat Burwood United A.

Second Grade.
Burwood United B, 131 (Andrew 39 not out), beat Marrickville Junior, 82 and 132 (Sherringham 37 and 50).
Campsie Waratah, 54 and 90, beat Newtown Crescent, 25 and 21. Horne, four for 6; G. Carter, four for 13.

Third Grade.
Newtown Junior, 115, beat Campsie Methodist B, 55 and 44.
Ashfield Lodge beat St. Matthew's.
Redfern Waratah beat Good Templars.

BALMAIN AND DISTRICT ASSOCIATION.
A Grade.
Dalley, 258, beat Five Dock, 48 and four for 33. Five Dock forfeited after the first day's play.
Annandale Trafalgar, 65 and five for 98, beat St. John's, Glebe, A, 111 and 49 (Phelps 42), by five wickets.
Orange Grove, 150 and two for 155 (Lockyer 58), beat Leichhardt Elswick, 98 and five for 202, declared (A. Brady 105 not out, Elliott 56 and 40), by five wickets.

B Grade.
Cambridge, 87 and 202 (R. Gray 101 not out), beat Leichhardt Presbyterian, 60 and 87, by 142.
St. Andrew's, 248 and one for 110, declared (Liddicoat 94, Easy 68 and 37 not out), beat Education Works, 155 and six for 111 (M'Dougall 51 not out, Munnock 46 not out), by 93 runs.
Leichhardt Central, 105 and 103 (Birkett 53, M'Farlane 50), beat Chiswick, 68 and 97, by 43 runs.
Pyrmont Juniors, 133 and one for 15, beat St. John's, Balmain, 68 and 87, by 71 runs.
St. Bede's, 140 and six for 149, declared, beat Sunlight, 88 and 99, by 102 runs.
St. John's, Glebe B, 74 and 169 (Rose 50), defeated Lilyfield, 41 and 161 (Matthews 53), by 41 runs.

ST. GEORGE ASSOCIATION.
A grade.
Sans Souci, eight for 277 (declared) (W. Brownley 65, W. Stephenson 68 not out), beat Arncliffe, 94 (R. Freeman 53), and 121 (F. Wilson 71).
Hurstville St. George, 87 and 172 (R. Dunkin 72 not out), beat Rockdale P.L.L., 71 and 184 (W. Lamb 36, G. Lamb 40 not out).
Rockdale District, two for 268 (declared) (H. Donnan 124 not out, W. Eldridge 97), beat Penshurst, 73 and 66.
Kogarah District had the bye.

B grade.—First division.
Mortdale, five for 136 (declared) (E. Jarvis 59), beat Sans Souci B., 25 and 50.
Kogarah School of Arts, 202 (J. Palme 84, T. Eardley 56, W. Palme 58), beat Arncliffe Y.M. Institute, 125 and 94.
Kogarah Congregational, 138 and one for 29, beat Rockdale Congregational, 86 and 81.
St. George A.O.F., 109 (H. Smith 46 not out), and six for 117, beat Arncliffe B., 107 and 106.

Second division.
Rockdale District B., seven for 117 (declared), beat Penshurst B., 50 and 52.
Bexley Christ Church, 203 (A. Hopkins 63), and 135 (S. Cooper 40), beat Carlton Lodge, 145 (T. Lassau 48).
Arncliffe Athelstan, 108 and 102, beat Rockdale P.L.L. B., 67 and 45.

C grade.
Bankia, four for 141 (declared) (A. Bull 88 not out), beat Arncliffe Presbyterian, 2 and 23.
St. Paul's, 65, and seven for 98, beat Kogarah Congregational, 62 and seven for 52 (declared).
Carlton United had the bye.

V.M.C.A.
Lynch Shield.
Mount Carmel 158 and 113 (J. Wheeler 85) beat St. Benedicts, 104 and 48.
St. Francis (Albion-street), 135 and 4 for 60, beat St. Augustine's (Balmain), 49 and 117.
St. Vincent's (Redfern), 190 (W. Scavity 78 not out, W. Neville (60) beat St. Patrick's Old Boys' Union, 96 and 64.
St. Francis and St. Bede's (Ultimo), 83 and 124, beat St. Thomas (Lewisham), 57 and 82.
St. Peter's (Surry Hills), 147 and none for 44, beat St. Joseph's (Newtown), 108 and 87.

GREAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
S.G.S. v S.C.E.G.S.

The Sydney Grammar School, on its ground, beat the Sydney Church of England Grammar School on the first innings by 119 runs. Scores:
S.G.S.—Rofe, l b w Mayne, 27; Yates, b Holcombe, 9; Lennartz, l b w Mayne, 16; Donovan, c Thompson, b Mayne, 30; Cohen, c Hall, b Forbes, 46; Raymond, c Mehan, b Roberts, 10; Swan, b Mehan, 1; Hodgens, c Mehan, b Forbes, 14; Shand, c Mayne, b Hall, 15; Coldham, b Forbes, 29; Day, not out, 1; sundries, 11. Total, 215. Bowling: Holcombe, 1 for 5; Roberts, 1 for 74; Mayne, 3 for 50; Mehan, 1 for 27; Godwin, 0 for 12; Forbes, 3 for 16; Hall, 1 for 20.
S.C.E.G.S.—Forbes, b Yates, 17; Hall, c Yates, b Donovan, 8; Orr, b Yates, 12; Thompson, l b w Donovan, 20; Holcombe, c Cohen, b Yates, 12; Mayne, c Swan, b Yates, 5; Mayne, b Donovan, 0; Godwin, c Lennartz, b Yates, 0; Mehan, c Raymond, b Yates, 10; Roberts, not out, 2; Thomas, b Donovan, 2; sundries, 8. Total, 96. Bowling: Coldham, 0 for 1; Day, 0 for 11; Donovan, 4 for 35; Yates, 6 for 31; Cohen, 0 for 14; Lennartz, 0 for 6.

Newington v St. Joseph's.
Played at Hunter's Hill, and won by Newington College. Scores:—
Newington College.—J. M. Taylor, h o w, b Bradley, 92; W. Brown, c and b Ryan, 10; J. L. Norman, c Hennessy, b Whittemore, 16; F. Lawes, st Lemon, b Bradley, 15; A. E. Gregg, c Byrnes, b McKillop, 7; R. F. Cripps, b Whittemore, 3; A. A. Ray, st Lemon, b Bradley, 48; F. R. Lawson, c Cusick, b Whittemore, 6; L. R. Crowther, l b w McKillop, 5; H. B. Darke, not out, 8; R. Killick, l b w Bradley, 1; sundries, 35. Total, 246.
Bowling.—McKillop, 2 for 64; Cusick, 0 for 27; Ryan, 1 for 29; Whittemore, 3 for 51; Hennessy, 0 for 19; Bradley, 4 for 16.
St. Joseph's College.—R. McCarthy, b Gregg, 2; H. Lemon, b Lawes, 18; K. Hennessy, h o w, Gregg, 0; M. Cusick (capt.), c Darke, b Brown, 47; T. Byrnes, b Crowther, 12; A. McKillop, c and b Killick, 16; T. Whittemore, c Killick, b Lawes, 7; W. Bradley, c Gregg, b Killick, 0; J. B. Ryan, not out, 1; W. Tinning, b Killick, 0; R. Kerton, run out, 2; sundries, 21. Total, 126.
Bowling.—Gregg, 2 for 30; Killick, 3 for 21; Lawes, 2 for 11; Ray, 0 for 17; Crowther, 1 for 7; Brown, 1 for 12; Darke, 0 for 1.

GOLF.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

MANLY CLUB.
Eighteen Holes Bogey Handicap.
"A" Grade.
Dr. Thomas (8), 2 down.
T. Tomlinson (1), 4 down.
A. H. Wright (8), 4 down.
A. R. Marks (5), 5 down.
"B" Grade.
R. Bull (11), 2 down.
G. J. Wilkinson (14), 4 down.
There were 24 competitors.

BONNIE DOON CLUB.
Bogey Handicap.
T. E. Howard (+8), 1 up.
L. W. Mogg (5), 1 down.
A. M. Wallis (12), 2 down.
J. A. Cooper (13), 2 down.
P. G. Rudd (6), 4 down.

DRUMMOYNE CLUB.
Bogey Handicap.
J. R. O'Neill (4), 1 down.
N. MacTaggart (9), 1 down.
T. Miller (4), 2 down.
W. T. Smith (4), 3 down.
A. E. Carfrae (8), 3 down.

CONCORD CLUB.
Bogey Handicap.
For Mr. Victor Elliott's Trophy.
C. M. Garrard (8), 2 up.
C. Hope (9), 1 up.
P. J. Biddulph (11), square.
R. W. Mackellar (9), 1 down.

CAMMERAY CLUB.
Stroke Handicap.

K. J. Pope	81—5=76
W. O'Gorman Hughes	87—10=77
R. A. M'Kinnon	91—12=79
W. W. Smith	99—15=84

SUMMER BASEBALL.

FIRST GRADE.

SYDNEY BEATS LEICHHARDT.

A splendid game between Sydney and Leichhardt took place on Saturday, at the Agricultural Ground, Sydney being successful by 9 to 7. If Leichhardt had won, the competition would have finished in its favour, but another match next Saturday must now be played to settle the destination of the first grade pennant.

Brilliant play was exhibited throughout, first one side and then the other being in the ascendant. Leichhardt was three runs behind in its last innings, and, despite a great effort on the part of Franks, only one run was scored.

Messrs. W. J. C. Kelly and Hildebrandt were the umpires. Scores:—
Sydney: 2, 0, 0, 0, 4, 2, 0, 1, 0—9.
Leichhardt: 1, 3, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 1—7.

SECOND GRADE.
SYDNEY BEAT LEICHHARDT BY 8 TO 6.

The challenge rounds to decide the premiership will be played next Saturday. In the first grade, Sydney and Leichhardt will fight their battle over again, and in the second grade Sydney and Waverley will meet.

BIRTHS.

BINSTED.—February 3, at Clarita, Murray-street, Croydon, the wife of H. M. Binsted—a son.

GLOVER (nee Ruby Calebrook).—February 27, at their residence, 181 Redfern-street, Redfern, the wife of Thomas R. Glover, of a son (Arol Raymond Owen).

MARSH.—March 3, at Bombala, to Dr. and Mrs. Marsh—a son.

DEATHS.

BENSON.—March 4, at Queenscliffe, Manly, Norma, infant daughter of Montague and Ina Benson, aged 7 months.

BLENKINS.—March 7, 1915, at his late residence, 27 Mort-street, Moore Park, Henry, dearly loved husband of Elizabeth Blenkins, aged 72 years. London papers please copy.

BORTHWICK.—March 7, at Manly, Charles McLachlan (late of Anthony Horderns' ironmongery department), and dearly loved husband of Mary Ann Borthwick, of Manly, aged 60 years. New Zealand and home papers please copy.

BUCHANAN.—March 6, 1915, at Moss Vale, Catherine, widow of the late John Buchanan, of Rushcutter Bay, aged 73 years.

CARRICK.—March 7, 1915, at his late residence, 49 Harrow-road, Stanmore, Robert, dearly beloved husband of Christina Carrick, late of Blackheath, in his 80th year.

CARROLL.—March 7, 1915, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Dario Wardrope, Glen Esk, Old Canterbury-road, Summer Hill, Martha, the dearly beloved wife of Patrick Carroll, of Junee, in her 64th year.

HEALEY.—March 6, 1915, at Gladstone Villa, Illawarra-road, Marrickville, Sydney, Syd., son of the late Sub-inspector John Healey and Mary Ann Healey, aged 48 years. R.I.P.

HOLLYOAKE.—March 4, at her late residence, St. John's Park, Canley Vale, Isabella, dearly beloved wife of George Hollyoake, aged 49 years.

HURLEY.—March 6, 1915, at Sydney, Emily, beloved wife of Charles D. Hurley, aged 49 years.

KINGCOTT.—March 6, 1915, at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Camperdown, Richard Arthur Kingcott, beloved husband of Louisa Kingcott, of Australia-street, Camperdown, aged 66 years. South African papers please copy.

MATCHETT.—March 7, at Montrose Private Hospital, Elizabeth-street, Paddington, Richard Bruce, of meningitis, following operation, aged 27.

MATCHETT.—March 7, 1915, at private hospital, Paddington, Richard Bruce Matchett, dearly loved friend of O. K. Baker, aged 27.

MULLINS.—March 6, at Nurse Mobbs' private hospital, Church-street, Randwick, Edward Mullins, late of Dallas Park Hotel, Rozelle, aged 32 years. New Zealand papers please copy.

MULVENEY.—March 6, 1915, at his late residence, 750 Illawarra-road, Marrickville, Sydney Mulveney, beloved son of Nicholas and Margaret Mulveney, aged 25 years.

NICCOL.—March 6, at Yerroulbin, Long Nose Point, Sydney, Herminia Ganson, beloved wife of Charles Niccol.

PIGOTT.—March 7, 1915, at a private hospital, Darlinghurst, William James, dearly-loved husband of Mary Pigott. R.I.P. By request no flowers.

PIGOTT.—March 7, 1915, at a private hospital, Darlinghurst, William James, son of the late Patrick Pigott, of Sydney. R.I.P. By request, no flowers.

PORTER.—March 5, 1915, at Sydney, Ellen Porter, aged 54 years.

REID.—March 4, 1915, Norah Birch Reid, late of Kogarah, killed at Bundanoon.

ROBERTS.—March 6, 1915, at her late residence, 18 Toxteth-road, Glebe Point, Emma, relict of the late Charles Roberts, aged 49 years. R.I.P.

TURNER.—March 6, 1915, at the residence of Nurse Jackson, Elizabeth (Lizzie), dearly loved daughter of William and the late Margaret Turner, aged 51 years. At rest.

VOGT.—March 4, accidentally drowned at Wamberal, Phillip, the eldest son of Phillip Vogt; and also grandson of Henry and Kate Myers, of Sydney.

WEYMOUTH.—March 6, 1915, at Lichfield, Wolger-road, Mosman, Clara, relict of the late Mr. George Weymouth, of Launceston, Tas., aged 71 years. Tasmanian papers please copy.

IN MEMORIAM.

ARMITAGE.—In memory of the dear old uncles, George and Jack Armitage, who died on the 7th March, 1914, North Sydney. Inserted by their nephew and niece, W. J. and M. A. Knapman, Curlewis.

BALDOCK.—In fond and loving remembrance of my dear wife and our darling mother, Frances Elizabeth, who fell asleep in Jesus March 8, 1905, aged 61 years.

I have lost my soul's companion,
A life linked with mine own;
One in hope and love and feeling.
Death parted, now alone.
Good was her dear heart, and in friendship sound;
Patient in pain, and loved by all around,
A better mother never dwelt on this earth,
Nor proved to her children a true mother's worth.

Inserted by her fond husband, Alfred Baldock, and children, Ada, Lillie, Maude, Ethel, Violet, and son, Clarence.

BALDOCK.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Frances Elizabeth Baldock, who departed this life March 8, 1905. Peace, perfect peace. Inserted by her loving son, Clarrie.

BERCKELMAN.—In sad and loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Ada Brodie Berckelman, who died March 8, 1914, at Petersham.

No one can tell, no one can say
How much we miss her day by day.
So good and kind whilst on this earth
They miss her most who knew her worth.

Inserted by her loving husband, William, and children and friend, Edna.

BERCKELMAN.—In loving remembrance of my dear daughter and our sister, Ada B. Berckelman, who departed this life March 8, 1914, at her residence, 91 Yule-street, Petersham, aged 48 years.

Anchored by love, death cannot sever,
We still sadly miss her, and will for ever.
Some day, some time our eyes shall see
The dear face we hold in memory.

Inserted by her loving mother, brother, and sisters.

BLACKHALL.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son, Charles Henry, who was accidentally drowned at Kiama, March 8th, 1908, aged 29 years. Though lost to sight, to memory ever dear. Inserted by his loving father and mother, W. and M. A. Blackhall, of Lord-street, Newtown.

BLACKHALL.—In sad and loving memory of our dear brother, Charles Henry, who was accidentally drowned at Kiama, March 8th, 1908, aged 29 years. Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters, George, William, Edward, Annie, Lizzie. Gone, but not forgotten.

BLAKE.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Charlotte Maxwell, who departed this life March 7, 1913.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
That never can be filled.

Inserted by her loving husband and children, Lindsay, Grace, Gladys, Norman, Roy, and Myra.

BRODIE-BERCKELMAN.—In sad and loving memory of my dear mother, Ada Brodie-Berckelman, who departed this life March 8, 1914. Inserted by her loving son, Willie, and granddaughter, Dorothea.

BROOKS.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Edmund Brooks, who departed this life March 8, 1905. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

BROWN.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Isabella Brown, who departed this life at Menangle on March 8, 1912.

Peacefully sleeping, resting at last,
Life's weary troubles and sufferings past.

Inserted by her loving husband.

BROWN.—In sad but loving memory of my dear mother, Isabella Brown, who departed this life at Menangle, March 8 1912, after a long and painful illness. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughter, Jeanie Brown.

BYRNE.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, who was accidentally drowned March 8, 1913. Inserted by his loving wife and children, Ellen Byrne.

CARTER.—In ever-loving remembrance of my dear son and our dear brother Peter, who died the 8th of March, 1903. Never forgotten by mother, sister, and brothers, Will and Alf.

CHANDLER.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our mother, who departed this life March 7, 1914. Inserted by her loving husband and children.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of my loving husband, Jack Clifford, who was accidentally killed March 8, 1913.

Two years have passed since that sad day
When my dear husband was called away.
God took him home, it was His will;
Forget him, no, I never will.

Inserted by his loving wife, Elizabeth Clifford.

CLIFFORD.—In loving remembrance of my dear son, John James Clifford, who departed this life March 8, 1913. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving father, mother, sister, and brother.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of our dear brother, John William, who departed this life 8th March, 1913.

The flowers we place upon your grave
May wither and decay;
But our thoughts of you, dear brother,
Will never fade away.

Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, Polly and Jack.

DARGAN.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Daniel, who departed this life on March 7, 1910, aged 40.

Weep not for dear father, who has passed away,
But care for the mother who is with us to-day;
The little respect and love we can show
Are due to the widow, who is left alone.

Inserted by his loving wife and family.

DUMBRELL.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, James Richard, who died in the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital March 8, 1914, in his 18th year. Inserted by his loving parents, Thomas and Emma Dumbrell, and family, of Station-street, Newtown. At rest.

FALCONER.—In affectionate remembrance of Walter J. Falconer, who departed this life March 7, 1913. Inserted by his old friend, William T. Biggs.

FEENEY.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Julia Feeney, who departed this life March 7, 1907.

It is I to-day who know the loss
Of one I loved so well;
But some day I hope, dearest mother,
With you evermore to dwell.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law and grandchildren, Annie and Richard Smithard.

FEENEY.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Julia Feeney, who departed this life March 7, 1907.

Far away our thoughts oft wander
To a grave not far away,
Where we laid our darling mother
Just eight years ago to-day.

Inserted by her loving daughters, Jane and Julia Feeney.

FELTON.—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband, Albert Ernest, who departed this life March 8, 1914.

I have lost my soul's companion,
A loving life linked with my own;
We were one in thought, in love, and feeling,
Death us parted, I'm alone.

Inserted by his loving wife and little sons.

FELTON.—In ever-loving memory of our dearly loved son-in-law, Albert Ernest, who departed this life March 8, 1914.

We cannot clasp thy hand, dear Alf,
Thy face we cannot see,
But let this little token tell
We still remember thee.

Inserted by his loving father and mother-in-law.

FELTON.—In ever-loving memory of our dearly beloved brother-in-law, Albert Ernest, who departed this life March 8, 1914.

And while you lie in peaceful sleep,
Your memory we will always keep.

Inserted by his loving sisters-in-law, Mary and Myrtle Holcroft.

FELTON.—In ever-loving memory of our dearly beloved brother-in-law, Albert Ernest, who departed this life March 8, 1914. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving brothers-in-law, Jack and Reg. Holcroft.

IN MEMORIAM.

FLETCHER.—In sad but loving memory of my dear wife and our darling mother, Mary Fletcher, who fell asleep March 8th, 1913. Deeply mourned.

When alone in my sorrow and bitter tears flow,
There stealeth a dream of a dear long ago;
And, unknown to the world, Mary stands by my side,
And whispers the words, "Death cannot divide."

Inserted by her sorrowing husband, Jack, and children, Irene and Violet.

FLETCHER.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Mary, who departed this life March 8, 1913. Dead, but not forgotten.

Immaculate heart of Mary,
Your prayers for her extol;
Oh, sacred heart of Jesus,
Have mercy on her soul.

Inserted by her two loving sisters, Teresa and Nellie.

FLETCHER.—In sad but loving memory of our dear sister, Mary, who departed this life March 8, 1913.

You are not forgotten, Mary, dear,
Nor will you ever be;
As long as life and memory last
We will remember thee.

Inserted by her loving sister, Lizzie, and only brother, Harry.

FLETCHER.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Mary, who departed this life 8th March, 1913, aged 38.

Her cheerful face and pleasant voice are pleasant to recall;
She had a kindly word for each, and died beloved by all;
We little thought her time was short in this world to remain,
Nor thought that when from home she went she'd ne'er return again.

Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Winnie and Jack Lohden. R.I.P.

FLETCHER.—In sad and loving remembrance of our dear daughter-in-law and sister, Mary Fletcher, who fell asleep March 8th, 1913.

Anchored by love, which death cannot sever,
We miss you, dear Mary, and will for ever.

Inserted by her husband's mother, father, and family.

FLETCHER.—In ever-loving memory of my dear friend, Mary Fletcher, who departed this life March 8, 1913.

Two years have passed, and none can tell
The loss of a friend I loved so well;
And while she lies in peaceful sleep
Her memory I shall always keep.

Inserted by her loving friend, Ruth.

GASH.—In sad but loving memory of my dear mother, Emmeline Gash, who departed this life March 7, 1894. Inserted by her loving son, Reg.

GATTY.—In loving memory of George Gatty, who died March 8, 1912. R.I.P.

Though lost to sight,
To memory ever dear.

Inserted by his loving mother and sisters.

GIGG.—In loving memory of our dearly-beloved daughter and sister Lily, who departed this life on March 8, 1914, aged 19 years.

One of the best that God could send,
Beloved by all, a faithful friend,
Called home from those who deeply love
To gain a glorious life above.
With aching hearts, with tearful eyes,
We linger where our dear one lies,
And breathe these sacred words once more,
Not lost, but only gone before.

Inserted by her loving father and mother, brother, and sisters.

GIGG.—In loving memory of dear Lily, for whom the pearly gates opened on Sunday, March 8, 1914.

Until the day break
And the shadows flee away.

Inserted by her loving companion, Louie Moodie.

HARRISON.—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Sarah Harrison, who departed this life March 7, 1906. Never forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughters, Carmen and Alma.

HAYES.—In loving remembrance of our dear mother and grandma, Catherine Hayes, who departed this life March 8, 1902. Sadly missed and mourned. Inserted by her loving daughter and son, Maggie and Arthur Cooper.

HINES.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Mary J. Hines, who departed this life March 7, 1913, aged 23 years.

Her voice is now silent, her heart is now cold,
Her smile and her welcome which met us of old;
We miss her and mourn her in silence unseen,
And dwell on the memories of days that have been.

Inserted by her loving sisters, brothers, nieces, and nephews, Leslie, Janie, and Tommie Fitzgerald, Kate and Jack Gilliam, Edward, Lillie, Katie, and Willie Cotterill.

LEONARD.—In ever-loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mary Ann Leonard, who departed this life March 6th, 1911, aged 68 years. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughter, Sarah, and son-in-law, John Potts; also grandchildren, Mabe, Ettie, Beattie, and Florrie.

MAHER.—In loving memory of my dear son and our dear uncle John David Maher, who was accidentally killed March 8, 1911. Inserted by his father and little nephews, Jack and Reggie.

MARGETTS.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Sarah Ann, who departed this life on the 7th day of March, 1911, aged 25 years.

You are always in my thoughts, dear Sarah,
It is sweet to breathe your name;
In life I loved you dearly,
In death I do the same.

Inserted by your loving and only sister and brother, Eva and Richard Margetts.

MAYNE.—In sad and loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth, who departed this life March 8, 1911. Inserted by her loving son, Frederick William Mayne.

MOORE.—To the memory of Wal. E. Moore, drowned in Sydney, March 8, 1913.

MORRISON.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who died March 8th, 1908; and our dear sister, who died March 3rd, 1910. Inserted by C. and M.

NEWSON.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Sarah Ann Newson, who departed this life March 8, 1913. Inserted by her loving son, daughter-in-law, and granddaughter, Charlie, Irene, and Bessie.

There is one link that death cannot sever,
Loving remembrance lasts for ever.

POOLE.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Alice Poole, who died March 6th, 1914. Inserted by her loving children, Leah and Ken.

REBELLO.—To the memory of my dear husband, Joseph Augustus Rebello, who passed away March 8th, 1914.

ROACH.—In loving memory of our dear father, William George Roach, who passed away on the 8th March, 1910. At rest. Inserted by his loving daughters and sons.

RYAN.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Bridget Ryan, who passed away on March 8th, 1902. Oh, Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her fond son and daughter-in-law, Frank and Agnes Ryan.

TAUCHERT.—In sad but loving memory of my dear mother, Nora Tauchert, who departed this life March 8, 1909. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Nell and Jim Fitzgerald.

TAUCHERT.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Norah Tauchert, who departed this life March 8, 1909. Inserted by her only and loving son and daughter-in-law, Arthur and Lizzie.

TAUCHERT.—In loving memory of Norah Tauchert, who departed this life March 8, 1909. R.I.P. Inserted by her son-in-law, Jack Kearns, and grandchildren, Vera and Kingie.

TOZZI.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Serafina Tozzi, who departed this life March 8th, 1908.

No space of time, no lapse of years,
Can dim my mother's past;
A loving memory holds her dear,
And will until the last.

Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Sadie and Theo. Turner, also her little grandson, Hector.

WILLIAMS.—In loving memory of our dear son, James Francis, who departed this life March 7th, 1909, aged 12 years. Inserted by his loving father and mother, W. E. and M. Williams.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD TRICKETT and FAMILY, Whiting-street, Gore Hill, wish to THANK their many kind relations and friends at Narromine, Mr. J. L. Norman, Mr. Westaway, and all other kind friends; at Dubbo, Messrs. Saunders, Field, Taylor, Williams, Sheridan, Lennard, the local police, and all other kind friends; the Sydney Water Police, and all others for their assistance and sympathy by cards, letters, and telegrams, in their sad bereavement.

Mr. A. BARRATT and FAMILY, of Dalley-street, Lidcombe, desire to express their sincere THANKS to their many friends and neighbours for telegrams, letters, and floral tributes of kind sympathy, also to Rev. J. Bidwell, of St. Stephen's Church of England, Lidcombe, during their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. WHITE and FAMILY, of Judd-street, Banksia, and Mrs. BLAIN and FAMILY, of Garden-street, Marrickville, wish to return their sincere THANKS to their kind friends and neighbours for the floral tributes, expressions of sympathy, etc., sent to them during their recent sad bereavement.

J. C. HOGG and FAMILY, of 30 Thames-street, Balmain, desire to return THANKS to their relatives and friends for their expressions of sympathy, letters, and telegrams during their recent sad loss.

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THE STATE CRISIS.

Mr. Carmichael's method of retirement from the Ministry has been so dramatic, and the time chosen by him so embarrassing to his colleagues, that he cannot be surprised if his action has been attributed to a variety of motives, not all of them creditable to himself. In his speech on Saturday afternoon he gave an account of his ideals as a Minister which would be accepted by the majority of persons interested in education. He has exhibited two virtues which some of his predecessors have lacked conspicuously. He has realised the need of giving this State the benefit of the best that has been thought and known in the rest of the world, and he has endeavoured, so far as unfavourable conditions would permit, to give the profession of teaching its proper standing in the community. A Minister who has pursued these two ends consistently, and who has listened to expert advice, would be forgiven many errors. But a Minister whose programme of work is still incomplete, and who professes so much interest in his department as Mr. Carmichael, will hardly be forgiven for the desertion of his post unless for some reason of overwhelming importance. Antipathy to the head of the Government would not justify him, nor would a question of precedence, although more weight is attached to such matters inside the caucus than out of it; nor is that pious devotion to duty which Mr. Carmichael set before the parents of Granville consistent with an object similar to that of Lord Randolph Churchill when he resigned in order to prove himself indispensable to the Tories. Lord Randolph's fate has not encouraged imitation, and Mr. Carmichael's action in stepping into his place in the rifle club of his department on Friday afternoon speaks so eloquently of his public spirit that none but the most malicious of his critics will accuse him of aiming at a higher place in a new Cabinet.

The whole question of reasons and of motives will no doubt be thrashed out in another caucus meeting on Wednesday next. The meeting this time will at least be saved from the mistake of supposing that what was intended to be an attack on the Ministry is a personal struggle or a trial of strength between town and country members. In considering the Ministerial policy, the caucus will have certain data before it which were unknown at the previous meeting. It will have the Government proposals for reducing the cost of living, and the Premier's statement that he is satisfied with the financial position of the State. Of this statement the best that can be said is that it cannot have been meant seriously. If the financial position of the State is sound, the Ministry that signed the Norton-Griffiths agreement ought not to remain in office another week. The only justification for that agreement is that the credit of the State is lower than that of a private firm, and that it cannot reduce its expenditure of borrowed money. Of the scheme propounded by the Premier and Mr. Hall the most pertinent criticism at present is that it is on a sounder basis than Mr. Carmichael's attempt to bring the consumer into a direct relation with the producer. On a small scale, no doubt, Mr. Carmichael might be able to give a number of citizens cheap cases of apples. But to attempt to force each grower to do his own distributing is to make a man do two things badly instead of one reasonably well. The plan now suggested by Mr. Holman and Mr. Hall has several precedents, of which the Johannesburg system is the best known and the most successful. It is not open to the objection that it is a Government concern, since within a very short period it is to be handed over to the Greater Sydney authority. No doubt it is true that the control of markets is a municipal duty, and that the body which controls the whole area of Sydney and its suburbs should have charge of this system of distribution. The fault in this new proposal is that at present there is no Greater Sydney Council, and there may not be for years to come. The public should insist on the new markets, when they are built, being placed under the control of commissioners, and free from either political or municipal patronage. Even if the finances were as sound as Mr. Holman says they are, the taxpayers could not afford to support any more undertakings under direct State control. Possibly the idea of more commissioners will not help to make the Government policy acceptable to the caucus on Wednesday next. But Mr. Holman can do for it what he claims to have done for the people by explaining the result of our State enterprises during the past year. When this has been done the caucus may see the danger of the policy attributed to some of its members who wish to curtail the independence of the Harbour Commissioners and to introduce political influence into the management of irrigation. Let the new Minister be chosen with the needs of the State in view, not to satisfy some sectional view or feed a party grudge.

ECONOMIC PLIGHT OF GERMANY

Evidence accumulates from day to day that the economic plight of Germany grows more and more precarious. This morning our cables tell us that the American Vice-Consul at Berlin reports that the Empire is on the verge of famine. The statement is the first official pronouncement we have received of that Empire being in dire straits, though inferences from extracts from German newspapers and reports from Copenhagen, Amsterdam, and Rome have led us to suspect what is, we may now say with certainty, the true situation. We had word that a company had been formed to control the supplies of foodstuffs in the Empire, and to allow a certain amount each week to each individual, so as to spread the supply over the period until the next harvest. Even the Emperor, it was ostentatiously given forth to the world, received his ticket just as an ordinary citizen for a certain number of loaves, no doubt with the object of impressing on his subjects and the world at large that he is a partaker in the laudable sacrifices of his people. Rumours have also reached us that the food supplies have been grievously overestimated. Some among us were inclined to believe that such rumours had their origin in a deeply-laid Machiavellian scheme to throw dust in the eyes of the Allies, to lead them to imagine that the situation is worse than it really is, and the belief persisted, even though a German general, presumably an officer on the retired list, denounced as criminal the engaging in a war with the hope of winning, before the reserves of foodstuffs had been thoroughly tested. How, it was asked, could German statisticians, whose accuracy is so famed, have made a mistake entailing such deplorable consequences for their fatherland? That they did make that mistake is apparent from the report of the American Vice-Consul at Berlin.

No less certain is it that the German Government, before it rushed into a war, hoping to hack its way through to complete victory before last Christmas, had warning that such a mistake in all probability had been made. Some weeks before the declaration of war a German professor of note questioned the reliability of the food statistics. The figures as to imports of food he granted were correct, but he doubted the accuracy of the estimate regarding the home production. The estimate of production was based on figures supplied by the producers themselves, and the professor declared that the producers estimated their yields, on the average, 20 per cent. beyond the real figures. As home production supplies three-fourths of the cereals of Germany, that means that these food stocks were overestimated by 15 per cent. This evidence is supplemented by the last report of Sir Francis Oppenheimer, lately commercial attache at Berlin, and the same opinion may be deduced from the report of the German Imperial Statistical Office, which shows that the import of food almost doubled within ten years, from an average of fifty-four millions sterling in the five years 1901-1905 to one hundred and two millions sterling in the year 1912. To account for this enormous jump in imports by stating that Germany laid up stores against an evil day would place the foresight of the nation on a supernatural plane. Attempts are being made to find a substitute in potato flour, which is filling out not satisfying. To get the same nourishment as from a given quantity of cereal flour a great deal more potato flour must be consumed. The troops should be the last of the nation to suffer in the way of being placed on short commons, yet we are told that they, upon whom the safety of the nation depends, have had their rations reduced. This fact is in grim contrast with the conditions in the British and French lines. In the British lines we are told that the men in many cases have gained weight, so generous are the rations, and that they are given many comforts not ordinarily thought of as appertaining to war.

What will be the position of Germany at the next harvest in July and August? No evidence has been brought forward to show that it will be greatly improved. Her soil, except in the extreme north-east and the extreme south-west, has not suffered invasion, so that we may say that her fields are intact, but the question is, how have they been cultivated? We have no clear information on the point. In many places, we have been told, the boys and women put in the crop, and help was obtained from thousands of Polish harvest hands forcibly detained on the outbreak of war. But making the most liberal allowance for the capability of this labour, the general opinion in agricultural and statistical circles in neutral countries is that nothing like a normal crop will be reaped. If a three-quarter crop is reaped, then her production of cereals will suffice only for six months. Of the industrial situation we obtain only glimpses, but what we do obtain show us that it is not in the parlous case which the authorities outside of Germany expected. There is deep distress from unemployment, it is true; the employing classes have lost much income; but many of the industries of the country are turning out considerable quantities of commodities. A large proportion of the labour offering is able to get work, and some dividends are being earned. Of course, all makers of war material are working day and night. As to the financial situation, there are good grounds for believing that that situation is much worse than is disclosed by the figures published by the Reichsbank. Granting that the industrial position is as we believe it to be, and that the financial position is as the Reichsbank would have us believe, a nation, if it had food supplies sufficient for itself, and if it had supplies for manufacturing munitions of war, could so organise itself by sacrificing everything for its armies that it could wage war to the last ditch. But we now know that Germany is not self-supporting, either as regards food or munitions. The declaration of the Allies of a virtual blockade in reply to the act of Germany practising piracy, will prevent her supplementing the deficiency in supplies to any important degree from neutrals. Though the conflict will still be long, the issue is not in doubt.

TRUST FUNDS.

DETAILS OF INVESTMENT.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

On March 1 the Australian notes in circulation amounted to £28,232,463, the gold in reserve being £10,133,227, and the total amount of investments of the trust funds £15,986,750. The details of the investments of the trust funds account, and the rates of interest earned are as follow:—Commonwealth inscribed stock, due 1/4/1962 to 1/1972, £2,830,000, 3½ per cent.; New South Wales funded stocks, due 10/8/19, £800,000, 3½ per cent.; Victorian Government debentures, face value, £800,000, due 1/5/21, £784,000, 3½ per cent.; Western Australian stock, due 1/1/1926, £590,000, 3½ per cent.; Western Australian Treasury bills, due 31/8/15, 7/9/15, 18/9/15, 1/10/15, 29/10/15, and 14/11/15, £243,750, 4 per cent.; Tasmanian inscribed stock, due 1/4/1912 and 1/10/1921, £460,000, 3½ per cent., advances to banks, due 5/9/15, 29/9/15, 20/10/15, and 5/11/15, £221,000, 4 per cent.; Commonwealth Treasury, in aid of revenue, £2,995,000, 4 per cent.; Commonwealth Treasury, for loan purposes, £870,000, 4 per cent.; Victorian Government Treasury bills, due 12/9/15 and 25/9/15, £243,000, 4 per cent.; South Australian Treasury bills, due 19/11/15, £100,000, 4 per cent.; Victorian Government, £1,325,000, 4 per cent.; Western Australian Government, £774,999, 4 per cent.; South Australian Government, £650,001, 4 per cent.; New South Wales, £1,850,001, 4 per cent.; Tasmanian Government, £249,999, 4 per cent. Total, £15,986,750.

The first amount, £2,830,000, represents the expenditure upon the trans-Australian railway. All the other amounts, down to the advances to banks, were for money advanced to the States long before the war broke out. The remainder of the investments have been made since the beginning of the war. There is one amount of £2,995,000, an advance to the Commonwealth Treasury in aid of revenue, which needs some explanation. As the land tax revenue, and also the new succession duties, will not be available till nearly the end of the financial year, it was necessary to borrow money for ordinary purposes from the trust funds. The greater portion of this item will probably disappear before June 30. It may not be necessary for the Commonwealth to avail itself of the full amount of the loan of £12,000,000, which the associated banks agreed to make. At the present moment the old reserve is ample, and far above the statutory limit. Month by month, until the end of the year, £1,500,000 has to be paid to the State; £13,500,000 in all. Of the bank loan so far £3,500,000 has already been received, leaving available an amount which is far more than is necessary to keep the statutory reserve.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor arrived in Sydney on Saturday morning, presided at a special meeting of the Executive Council, and returned to Moss Vale in the afternoon.

Sir Hamilton John Goold-Adams, G.C.M.G., Governor-Designate of Queensland, will arrive at Auckland by the Niagara to-day, and will reach Sydney, en route to Brisbane, on Friday. Sir Hamilton's last post was that of High Commissioner for Cyprus. Previously, he was British Commissioner in Bechuanaland.

Mr. H. C. Hoyle, Assistant Treasurer and Minister for Railways, returned to Sydney on Saturday, much improved by his recent health trip to Mount Kosciusko.

Mr. D. Mills, manager of the Sydney branch of the Union Steamship Company, and brother of Sir James Mills, will return by the Niagara at the end of the week from a two-months' holiday visit to New Zealand.

Mr. R. D. Meagher is to be presented by a number of his friends at the Town Hall this afternoon with a life-sized oil painting of himself, to mark his accession to the office of Speaker.

The Very Rev. Father Nicholas, Provincial of the Marist Order in Australasia, Father Chevreuil, Procurator for the South Seas Mission, and Father Gounett, of the New Hebrides, returned by the Mongolia on Saturday. They went to Europe last June to attend a meeting of the Order, which was to have been held in Belgium, but which, in consequence of the war, took place at Lyons, in France, instead.

Among the passengers by the Mongolia, which arrived from London on Saturday, were Mr. H. W. Apperly, secretary of the A.M.P. Society, Father Barthe, of the Solomon Islands, Mr. E. de Burgh Persse, of Queensland, and Mrs. Knox and her two daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, of Sydney.

The President of the Joint Court (Count de Buena Esperanza) gave a banquet in honour of the French High Commissioner and Governor of New Caledonia (Monsieur Repiquet) on February 26. Advantage was taken of the occasion by the British Resident Commissioner (Mr. Merton King), at the command of his Majesty George V., to present the ribbon and star of the Order of St. Michael and St. George to the President.

Mr. Browne, Assistant British Resident Commissioner at New Hebrides, has left for the front.

M. Mabille is acting as French Judge on the Bench of the Joint Court, New Hebrides, during the absence of Judge Colonna, on furlough.

Fathers Roche, O'Connor, and Fanning returned from a visit to New Zealand by the Riverina on Saturday.

GERMAN SAVAGES.

FRENCH COMMISSION'S REPORT.

ABOMINABLE CRIMES.

The official report of the French Commission on German atrocities in France forms a terrible indictment of the conduct of the German troops and their officers. The commission consisted of MM. Georges Payelle, First President of the Cour des Comptes; Armand Mollard, Minister Plenipotentiary; Georges Maringer, Counsellor of State; and Edmond Paillot, Counsellor at the Court of Appeal.

The commissioners state:—

"The lamentable sights which we have had before our eyes have made the task to which we all four addressed ourselves, with a close association of ideas and feelings, a very grievous one. It would indeed have been too painful if we had not found a powerful support in the sight of the wonderful troops whom we met at the front, in the welcome of the military leaders, whose kind assistance has never failed us, and in the sight of the population who bear unprecedented calamities with the most dignified resignation. In the districts we have crossed, and particularly in that country of Lorraine which was so frequently the victim of the scourge of war, not one entreaty for help, not one moan, reached our ears; and yet the terrible misery of which we have been witness surpasses in extent and horror anything which the imagination can conceive. On every side our eyes rested on ruin. Whole villages have been destroyed by bombardment or fire; towns formerly full of life are now nothing but deserts full of ruins; and, in visiting the scenes of desolation where the invader's torch has done its work, one feels continually as though one were walking among the remains of one of those cities of antiquity which have been annihilated by the great cataclysms of nature.

"In truth it can be stated that never has a war carried on between civilised nations assumed the savage and ferocious character of the one which at this moment is being waged on our soil by an implacable adversary. Pillage, rape, arson, and murder are the common practice of our enemies; and the facts which have been revealed to us day by day at once constitute definite crimes against common rights, punished by the codes of every country with the most severe and the most dishonouring penalties, and which prove an astonishing degeneration in German habits of thought since 1870.

"Crimes against women and young girls have been of appalling frequency. We have proved a great number of them, but they only represent an infinitesimal proportion of those which we could have taken up. Owing to a sense of decency, which is deserving of every respect, the victims of these hateful acts usually refuse to disclose them. Doubtless fewer would have been committed if the leaders of an army whose discipline is most rigorous had taken any trouble to prevent them; yet, strictly speaking, they can only be considered as the individual and spontaneous acts of uncaged beasts. But with regard to arson, theft, and murder the case is very different; the officers, even those of the highest station, will bear before humanity the overwhelming responsibility for these crimes.

"In the greater part of the places where we carried on our inquiry we came to the conclusion that the German army constantly professes the most complete contempt for human life, that its soldiers, and even its officers, do not hesitate to finish off the wounded, that they kill without pity the inoffensive inhabitants of the territories which they have invaded, and they do not spare in their murderous rage women, old men, or children. The wholesale shootings at Luneville, Gerbeviller, Nomeny, and Senlis are terrible examples of this; and in the course of this report you will read the story of scenes of carnage in which officers themselves have not been ashamed to take part.

"Arson, still more than murder, forms the usual procedure of our adversaries. It is employed by them either as a means of systematic devastation or as a means of terrorism. The German army, in order to provide for it, possesses a complete outfit, which comprises torches, grenades, rockets, petrol pumps, fuse-sticks, and little bags of pastilles made of compressed powder which are very inflammable. The lust for arson is manifested chiefly against churches and against monuments which have some special interest, either artistic or historical."

REVOLTING CRIMES.

When on one occasion a German officer was asked the reason of such abominable acts of cruelty, he merely shrugged his shoulders, and answered, "It is war." We give below a few instances of German "frightfulness"—by no means the worst of them.

On September 8 18 inhabitants of Varreddes, among whom was the cure, were arrested without any reason, and taken away by the enemy. Three of them managed to escape. None of the others had come back again on September 30, the date of our visit. According to information received three of these men had been put to death. However, the death of one of the eldest of them, M. Jourdain, a man of 73, is certainly known. This unhappy man was dragged as far as the village of Coulombs, and, being unable to walk any further, was bayoneted in the forehead and shot with a revolver through the heart. At about the same time a man of 66, named Delissier, living at Cougis, was ordered by the Germans to give up his purse to them. When he proved unable to give them any money he was tied up with a halter and ruthlessly shot. The marks of about 15 bullets were found on his dead body."

"At Sermaize, the roadmaker, Brocard, was placed among a number of hostages. Just at the moment when he was being arrested with his son, his wife and his daughter-in-law, in a state of panic, rushed to throw themselves into the Saulx. The old man was able to free himself for a moment, and ran in all haste after and made several attempts to save them, but the Germans dragged him away pitilessly, leaving the two wretched women struggling in the river. When Brocard and his son were restored to liberty, four days afterwards, and found the bodies, they discovered that their wives had both received bullet wounds in the head."

"As the bombardment of open towns constitutes without doubt a violation of international law we thought it necessary to go to Reims, which was for 80 days bombarded by the Germans. We received a sworn statement from the Mayor, from which we learned that about 300 of the civilian population had already been killed. We saw that in different parts of the town numerous buildings had been destroyed, and we took note of the enormous and irreparable damage which had been inflicted on the cathedral. The bombardment has continued since October 7, the day of our visit; the number of the victims, therefore, must now be very considerable. Everyone knows how the unhappy town has suffered, and that the attitude of the municipality has been above all praise."

"Few localities in the department of the Meuse have suffered as much as the commune of Sommeilles. It is nothing but a heap of ruins, having been completely burnt on September 6 by a regiment of German infantry bearing the number 51. The place was set on fire with the help of machines like bicycle pumps, with which many of the soldiers were furnished. This unhappy village was the scene of a terrible drama. At the commencement of the fire Madame X., whose husband is with the colours, took refuge in the cellar of M. et Madame Adnot, together with these latter and their four children, aged respectively 11, 5, 4, and 1½ years. A few days afterwards the bodies of all these unfortunate people were discovered in the middle of a pool of blood. Adnot had been shot; Madame X. had her breast and right arm cut off; the little girl of 11 had a foot severed; the little boy of 5 had his throat cut."

"At Nomeny M. Vasse had collected a number of people in his cellar, in the Faubourg de Nancy. Towards 4 o'clock about 50 soldiers rushed into the house, beat in the door and windows, and set it on fire. The refugees then made an effort to flee, but they were struck down one after the other as they came out. M. Meutre was murdered first; then his son Leon fell with his little sister, aged 8, in his arms. As he was not killed outright the end of a rifle barrel was placed on his head and his brains blown out. Then it was the turn of the Kieffer family. The mother was wounded in the arms and shoulder. The father and a little boy aged 10, and little girl, aged 3, were shot. The murderers went on firing at them after they had fallen. Kieffer, stretched on the ground, received another bullet in the forehead, and his son had the top of his head blown off by a shot. Last of all, M. Strieffert and one of the sons of Vasse were murdered, while Madame Meutre received three bullets, one in the left leg, another in the arm on the same side, and one on her forehead, which was only grazed."

Referring to their investigation of an outrage upon two nuns in the Department of Meurthe-et-Moselle, the commissioners state:—"We undertook not to publish the names of the victims of this abominable scene or of that of the village in which it took place, but the facts were laid before us under the sanction of an oath by witnesses who deserve the fullest confidence, and we take the responsibility of pledging ourselves as to their accuracy."

STATE BREAD.

SUBURBAN EXPERIMENT.

PRIVATE CUSTOM.

BUYING OUT THE BAKERS.

The Attorney-General stated on Saturday that he will, next Saturday evening, at a meeting of the Master Bakers' Association, to which he has been invited, expound his proposed State bread monopoly, of which he gave formal notice at the Trades Hall last week.

It was then stated by Mr. Hall that the State monopoly would be the result of an evolutionary process. He has fixed no time limit within which it shall become operative, and he mentioned that the first step would be the extension of the operations of the State bakery at Stanmore, to take in a number of private customers. At present the State bakery confines itself to supplying Government institutions, such as hospitals and asylums. The State establishment has, however, a large equipment, which was made manifest by the determination of the Attorney-General to use it for the supply of the whole metropolitan area in the event of the strike threatened some time ago over the day-baking question taking place.

It is apparently felt that at present the State bakery is not being utilised up to its full capacity. The immediate proposal now made by Mr. Hall is to buy out the bread delivery business conducted within a certain radius of the State bakery, and supply loaves at a shade cheaper than the people now pay for them to private bakers. Some of those who will be lucky enough to get this first instalment of cheap bread reside in Mr. Hall's own electorate, and some within the Liberal constituency represented by Mr. Cohen. This fact will rob the cheap loaf scheme, the Minister thinks, of any sinister political aspect. The cheaper loaf will be distributed in districts without reference to the shade of their ballot views.

The extension of the operations of the State bakery beyond this strictly prescribed circle around it will depend upon the success of the venture on this small scale, and upon the state of the finances, because it is not proposed to confiscate existing businesses, but to acquire them at a fair price. Mr. Hall hopes by the great concentration of effort, and the elimination of so many separate bakeries and systems of delivery, so to bring down the expense of the loaf that he will be able to let the people have it for something like a penny less than they are now paying. To absorb private bakeries would naturally mean a lot of money to be paid out of the State Treasury for compensation, and that is a part of the scheme that Mr. Hall has yet to develop after consultation with the Premier, who was present at the Trades Hall when the Attorney-General made the announcement of a State bread monopoly, that has naturally had a disturbing effect upon those engaged in the bread trade.

RAILWAY FATALITY.

NEAR GOSFORD.

THREE PEOPLE KILLED.

A fettlers' ganger, named O'Hara, his son, and nephew, were killed at Ourimbah, near Gosford, at 6 o'clock on Saturday evening by a passenger train, which had left Newcastle at a quarter to 5.

The three men were riding upon a tricycle on the up line, when they were dashed to pieces by the express.

The bodies of the men were removed to Ourimbah, and the matter placed in the hands of the Gosford coroner, who, it is understood, will open an inquiry with regard to the tragedy this morning at Gosford Coroner's Court.

STATE CABINET.

A MINISTER'S DEFECTION.

STILL A MYSTERY.

The mystery attaching to Mr. Carmichael's resignation from the Cabinet remains unsolved. Neither Mr. Carmichael himself, as the person most affected, nor the Premier was prepared on Saturday to discuss the cause of the resignation.

A "Herald" reporter put the question direct to Mr. Carmichael whether it was correct that he had handed in his resignation because he disapproved of the past action of the Premier in according the Attorney-General (Mr. Hall) precedence over him in Ministerial rank. Mr. Carmichael replied that he had never given out such a statement, but he would not at present say anything beyond what he said on Friday. The only explanation he then vouchsafed was that his resignation was largely a matter of personal difference between the Premier and himself.

Mr. Holman was also asked if he could assign a reason for the resignation of his colleague. The Premier was equally reticent; and said he had nothing to add to what he said the day before. His statement on Friday was that he was unaware of any difference of opinion with Mr. Carmichael, which should have caused him to take this step.

A meeting of the Parliamentary Labour party has been called for Wednesday afternoon next, when no doubt the whole cause of the circumstances leading up to the resignation will be gone into. The feeling in political circles on Saturday was that a question of precedence is a trifling thing to form a bone of contention among Ministers, and especially Labour Ministers; and that the approaching caucus will probably shed a new light on the whole transaction.

Till another Minister is appointed, Mr. Holman, who was sworn in on Saturday as Minister for Public Instruction, will administer the vacant portfolio. The Premier acted in this capacity during Mr. Carmichael's recent absence in Europe.

A FAREWELL SPEECH.

Mr. Carmichael's last public act before finally quitting office as Minister for Public Instruction was to open an enlarged infants' school building at the Superior Public School, Granville, on Saturday afternoon. He was welcomed by a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen, many of whom were members of the local Parents and Citizens' Association, the president of which (Alderman H. A. Membrey) occupied the chair.

Mr. Carmichael, who had an enthusiastic reception on rising to perform the ceremony of officially opening the new school, said he was pleased, if only for the last time as head of the Department of Education, in bestowing on the scholars and parents the freedom of entering and using the new school building. The duties he had to perform during the past three years had been very pleasing and satisfactory to himself; and, whilst there was a natural regret at leaving work undone, there was not a scintilla of regret in regard to what had been accomplished. That portion of the policy of education which had been built under his guidance would stand the test of time. The results had proved so far that the completion on the same lines was assured by the general public interest, which had been aroused. The pleasure he had had in the work had been stimulated by the willing and active co-operation of teachers, scholars, and parents. To the parents, who had co-operated so actively in the work of the department, he said that the constantly increasing interest had been a source of deep satisfaction to himself and his officers. He believed it would not only be of increasing value to the State education system and the school life, but would develop into a keener interest in the home life and training of their children, on which the building of a great nation must so largely depend. (Applause.)

Amongst the speakers who followed were Messrs. J. T. Lang and W. F. Dunne, Ms.L.A., and John Nobbs, ex-M.L.A., who all expressed keen regret at Mr. Carmichael's retirement as head of the Education Department.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

At a meeting of the School Teachers' Association to-day a resolution was unanimously carried regretting the resignation of Mr. Carmichael.

THE GERMAN VIEW.

COUNT REVENTLOW ON THE WAR.

"THE LONGER IT LASTS THE BETTER."

By arrangement with the "New York World," the "Daily Chronicle" of January 11 publishes views on the war of Germany's most famous and ablest Jingo publicist, Count Reventlow. After five months of war he is quite confident of victory. "The Russian offensive is definitely at an end." In the east success is certain. In the west the "so-called offensive" of the Allies is a mere sham. All efforts to break the German line will fail. Great Britain's naval blockade cannot prevent Germany from obtaining all she wants. Germany is prepared for a long war, and—in the end—will win. The statement follows:—

"We Germans look backward with satisfaction upon the five months of war that have passed. The German armies both in the east and the west stand on enemy's territory. We gaze into the future with the utmost confidence; and the entire German people is united as never before, and its economic situation is good.

"Great Britain, France, and Russia were of the opinion, and based their plan of campaign upon this belief, that the German armies perhaps would invade a part of France at the beginning of the war, but that soon afterwards the millions of Russian troops would surge irresistibly over the German frontiers and press forward in the direction of Berlin. It would then become necessary to weaken the German armies in the west, so as to offer all possible resistance to the Russians; upon which it would become an easy job for the allied French and English to throw the German forces out of France and Belgium, and also to force them to retreat on German territory.

"Against this theory there stands at the close of the year 1914 the incontrovertible fact that the great Russian offensive has completely broken down, and that under the German attack the Russian armies have had to fall back with heavy losses. The German army stands close to Warsaw.

FROM FACT TO PROPHECY.

"Of further military consequences which may, and as I believe, will follow, I will not speak, because they are not consummated facts.

"It is, however, a military fact that the Russian offensive is definitely at an end. Russia has not the means in the near future, if at all, to organise a new offensive. On the other hand, it is only natural that, as a result of the enormous extension of the eastern theatre of war, the wretched roads, and the huge masses of troops, military operations must be continued for a comparatively long time. The result will be success along the whole line in the east for the German troops; a defeat is inconceivable.

"In the western theatre of war the opposing lines face one another closely. On December 17 a French-English offensive was begun without successful results, and the same future will show that this offensive remained unsuccessful, and that all the French and English attacks to push back or break through the German line will be in vain. From such attacks they will gain only losses.

GREAT BRITAIN'S SHARE.

"The other question of the future is how long will Russia and France believe that Great Britain is able to break down the German power of resistance. From the beginning of the war Great Britain has used every possible means to cut off Germany from the rest of the world, and to keep from the German frontier all those wares and goods which the German people need.

"Through this policy Great Britain intended, and, according to the English Government and press, will be able to starve out Germany and to make it impossible for the Germans to continue to carry on the war. With this purpose Great Britain trod underfoot the international rights of the sea and all international custom.

"Success, however, has not resulted. The German people find themselves financially in an excellent situation. Everything is in order. So great are the supplies of provisions in this country that they will last beyond the next harvest. All this has been already established and properly arranged to the most favourable manner.

"Preparations for the next harvest will likewise be carefully and thoroughly organised. A sufficient strength of labour is available. What Germany otherwise needs, that she will obtain, and even more later on, despite all the efforts of Great Britain.

VON TIRPITZ'S THREAT.

"How the naval war between Germany and Great Britain will evolve cannot be prophesied. Particularly in naval warfare do unexpected occurrences suddenly give an entirely different appearance to things. For the rest, I believe that the interview with Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, recently published in the American press, points out the way which promises great success for the German cause—the establishment of a blockade of the English coast in certain sections.

"It would be the first time in history that the coasts of Great Britain were blockaded, but Germany, through her submarine power, is in a position to carry out such a blockade of British coasts and harbours, and, in fact, as an effective blockade in the sense of the Declaration of Paris of 1856.

"Such a blockade would be in line with international rights, while the enclosing of the North Sea by Great Britain runs counter to international rights, and particularly to the rights of neutral Powers.

"In all other circumstances we Germans face the future of the conflict with England confidently and knowing ourselves. It is an English untruth that the German fleet fears a battle with that of England.

"On the contrary, the German fleet has already twice visited the English coast, and maintains as before her base in the German Bight of the North Sea. The English Fleet can, when it wishes, always find our fleet, because it does not hide itself.

"ENGLISH ADMIRALTY'S FEAR."

"The English Admiralty is anxious to keep its fleet intact as long as possible.

"We know in Germany that not only can we last out a long war, but we also know that we can last out a long war better than our enemies—politically, militarily, and economically. In conclusion, we know that the longer the war lasts, so much the better will be our world standing. It is because of that that the entire German people enter upon the New Year full of courage and confidence in ultimate victory. From the German Kaiser to the working man, all Germans know that the struggle can last a long time yet, but likewise they all know that the German people ultimately will win. Domestic controversies have disappeared. All Germans stand together like one man."

DIEGO GARCIA.

ISLANDERS INFORMED OF THE WAR.

A storeship, which returned from Egypt on Saturday morning, made a call at Diego Garcia Island on the return journey, and informed the inhabitants of the outbreak of war. This island lies in the Indian Ocean, between Colombo and Mauritius, and it will be remembered that the German cruiser Emden visited the island while carrying on raids on merchant shipping, and the islanders, who were not aware of the war, assisted the Emden's crew in careening and cleaning the cruiser.

The islanders were greatly surprised to hear of the war, and to learn that the Emden had since been battered to pieces by H.M.A.S. Sydney.

THE COST.

GERMANY'S GREAT LOSSES.

RUSSIAN SUCCESSES.

STARVING THE FOE.

The Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, capital of Bukovina.

The Russian offensive in Eastern Galicia continues.

The Germans lost heavily in Northern Poland, and it is estimated that the casualties last month alone were 250,000.

A French estimate puts the total German losses so far at 3,000,000.

Sir John French describes the situation on the western front as unchanged.

The Allies more than regained the lost ground at Notre Dame de Lorette.

The Germans claim to have repulsed all the Russian attacks with heavy losses.

The Allies have bombarded the defences of Smyrna without reply, their reduction being a necessary part of the main operations against Turkey.

The bombardment of the Dardanelles forts continues.

WESTERN FRONT.

SITUATION UNCHANGED.

SIR JOHN FRENCH'S REPORT.

LONDON, March 5.

Field-Marshal Sir John French's bulletin states:—

"The situation is unchanged. Minor enterprises are of daily occurrence, usually on our initiative, south of the Ypres Canal."

ALLIES' ATTACKS.

PROGRESS REPORTED.

PARIS, March 7.

The latest communique states: Our counter-attacks in the Notre Dame de Lorette district progressed. The Germans brought a large number of effectives into action, and suffered a serious reverse.

We progressed at Hartmann's Weilerskopf, and blew up an ammunition depot at Cernay (Alsace).

Earlier communiques stated: We recaptured the greater portion of our advanced trench near Notre Dame de Lorette. We captured 150 prisoners.

Our counter-attacks at Notre Dame de Lorette were a complete success. We drove the enemy back beyond their starting point and captured a machine gun company.

We repulsed twelve attempts to push the German trenches in contact with ours in the dunes.

We made marked progress at Perthes, inflicting extremely heavy losses and surrounding a company of the Prussian Guards.

Our progress at Perthes is maintained. There is a lively cannonade elsewhere.

We captured 600 metres of trenches at Mesnil, and also several trenches in the ravines north-west of Beau Sejour.

We have also made important progress at Vauquois, and have reached the German entanglements at Eceliea.

DEMORALISED.

GERMANS AT GUINCHY.

LONDON, March 6.

"Eye-witness" with the British forces reports: Prisoners state that the Germans on the Guinchy brickfields were so demoralised after the reverse on February 6 that they abandoned their arms, and were sent to the rear to await the arrival of new equipment.

A prisoner confirms the statement that the troops at Guinchy were ordered not to take English prisoners.

TOMMY ATKINS.

LIFE IN THE TRENCHES.

"Eye-witness," with the British troops, states that to avoid getting lost in the trenches, the troops have erected signposts. Whitewashed posts are used at night. Labels bearing the words, "Beware of snipers" are posted in many places.

Many of the dug-outs have been given such names as the Ritz, the Carlton, and the Metropole.

Rival shooters signal with flags the results of their shots.

REINFORCEMENTS.

FROM NORTH AFRICA.

PARIS, March 7.

It is officially announced that expeditionary forces are concentrating in North Africa, ready to embark at a moment's notice.

THE SCHELDT.

MOUTH STILL BLOCKED.

AMSTERDAM, March 7.

The German merchantman Gneisenau still blocks the mouth of the Scheldt.

The Germans made repeated efforts to raise the vessel, but failed. They requested Holland to provide the necessary appliances, but the request was refused.

TURKEY.

THE DARDANELLES.

ADMIRALTY STATEMENT.

WORK OF LANDING PARTIES

LONDON, March 6.

The Admiralty has issued the following statement regarding the operations of the Allied Fleet at the Dardanelles.

Vice-Admiral Sackville Carden reports that further action was impossible until the afternoon of the 3rd instant, when the battleships Irresistible, Albion, Triumph, and Prince George resumed the attack on Fort Dardanos, and the concealed guns in the neighbourhood. The weather was fine.

On the 4th instant mine-sweeping operations and bombarding within the Straits was continued steadily.

Demolition parties, covered by marines, landed at Forts Kum Kaleh and Seddul Bahr, and continued the clearance of the ground at the entrance to the Straits.

There were some skirmishes with the enemy, who were holding the villages.

The casualties of the attacking force on the 4th totalled 19 killed, three missing and 25 wounded.

On the 5th the battleship Queen Elizabeth commenced an attack by indirect fire upon the defences at the narrows, supported by howitzers from the Inflexible and Prince George.

The Queen Elizabeth fired 29 rounds, with satisfactory results, blowing up the magazines of the important Fort L, armed with the heaviest and best guns.

The ships inside the Dardanelles were not hit, though they were much fired at.

The Sapphire destroyed the military station at Tume Burna.

SMYRNA DEFENCES.

BOMBARDED BY BRITISH.

The Admiralty states that Rear-Admiral Sir Richard Peirse has arrived at Smyrna with the East Indies squadron.

For two hours Fort Yenic Kale was subjected to a methodical bombardment under favourable conditions.

The fort was hit thirty-two times, and two magazines exploded. The British fire was not returned.

A bombardment at close range then commenced.

The reduction of the Smyrna defences was a necessary incident in connection with the main operations.

FORTS BOMBARDED.

ATHENS, March 7.

Mine-sweeping has been completed as far as Chanak.

The British resumed the bombardment of the forts at Smyrna, vigorously shelling the batteries at Two Brothers' Hill.

POSITION REALISED.

FEELING AGAINST GERMANS.

BUCHAREST, March 6.

The Turks and Germans, realising that they are powerless to prevent the Allied fleet from penetrating the Dardanelles, are hastily disarming some of the forts, and transporting the guns to islands in the Sea of Marmora.

The civil population is insufficiently fed, and is murmuring against the Germans.

Fifty German officers have passed through Bucharest on their way to Berlin.

CONSTANTINOPLE.

SIGNIFICANT REQUEST.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

Germany has asked the United States to manage its diplomatic affairs at Constantinople, in view of the threatened occupation by the Allies.

It is reported here that the Turks propose to defend their capital vigorously.

GREECE.

CABINET RESIGNS.

ATHENS, March 7.

The Cabinet has resigned, the King disapproving of its policy.

GERMAN LOSSES.

ESTIMATED AT 3,000,000.

PARIS, March 6.

It is officially stated that the German losses total at least 3,000,000, excluding the sick.

The calculation is based on the fact that ten regiments have lost 36,281 officers and men in five months.

BRITISH GENERALS.

DECORATED BY FRANCE.

PARIS, March 5.

General de Lacroix, late Commander-in-Chief of the French Army, has presented General Sir John French with the Medaille Militaire. He is the first Englishman to receive this distinction.

Lieutenant-General Sir James Willcocks, Major-General Allenby, and Lieutenant-General W. B. Pulteney have received the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour.

IF PARIS FELL.

GERMANY'S INTENTIONS.

PARIS, March 6.

The "Matin" states that the Germans, expecting the easy capture of Paris, had divided the city into seven sections, each of which was to have received a garrison of 100,000 men.

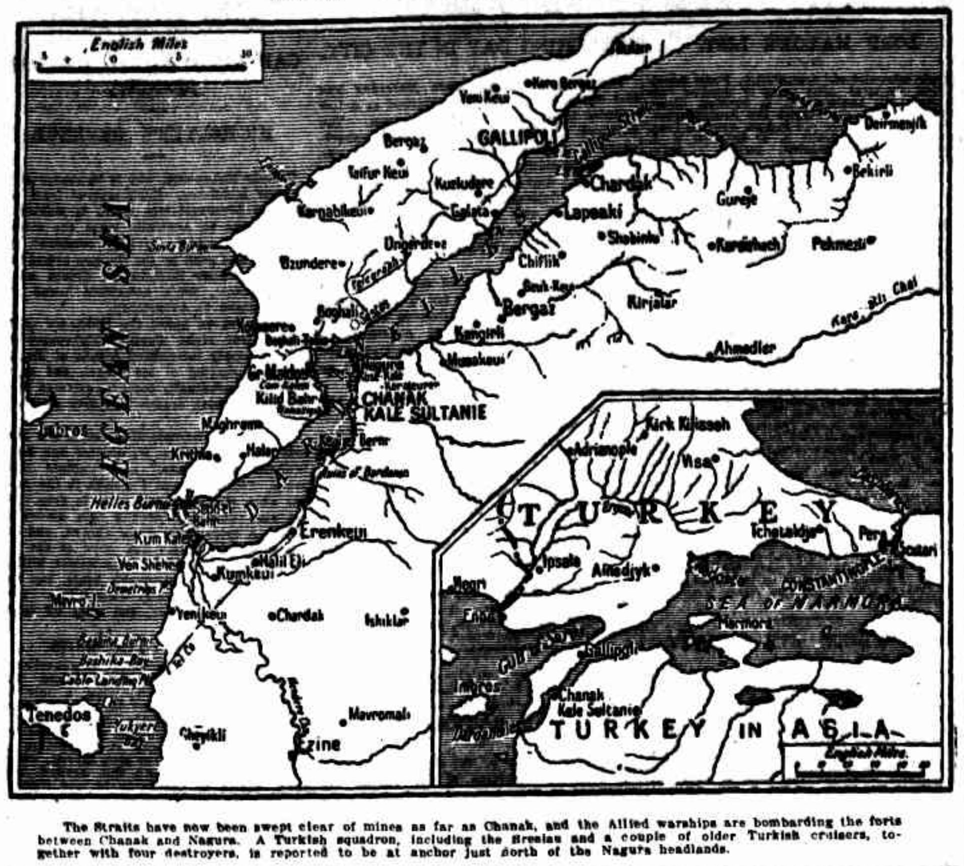
The German Emperor, at the head of an army of a million and a half before the fallen city, was to propose a truce. The French Government, in return for its provinces, was to give gold and perhaps soldiers and sailors to invade England.

If France refused, one of the sections would be sacked, public monuments destroyed, and the banks and private houses pillaged. After this example a fresh ultimatum was to be presented.

If the French still refused to make peace the second section of the city was to be handed over to the military.

Germany, it is added, believed that Russia's ammunition would not last three months.

THE DARDANELLES.



The Straits have now been swept clear of mines as far as Chanak, and the Allied warships are bombarding the forts between Chanak and Nagura. A Turkish squadron, including the Breslau and a couple of older Turkish cruisers, together with four destroyers, is reported to be at anchor just north of the Nagura headlands.

THE RUSSIANS.

TURNING THE TABLES.

OFFENSIVE CONTINUES.

PETROGRAD, March 7.

Details of the fighting at Stanislavoff (Galicia), show that the Austrians at the outset had twenty big guns on the heights commanding the Russian positions. After some initial successes their infantry advanced in four lines, each comprising four regiments with auxiliary troops.

When a hundred yards had been covered a masked Russian battery opened fire against the artillery and infantry. After the latter had been heavily shelled the Cossacks galloped in, throwing their lines into confusion. The Cossacks withdrew, and quick-firers took up the work, mowing down the Austrian front line, and forcing the others to retreat. The Austrians thereafter vainly endeavoured to make a stand in the Lukwa district. Their losses were enormous.

A communique states: The enemy was dislodged from the heights northward of Lomza. We are continuing our offensive in Eastern Galicia after expelling the Austrians from fortified positions in the Bystritza.

The Russians captured 153 officers, 18,522 men, five guns, 52 machine guns, 519 horses, and many trains in the Stanislavoff region in the space of ten days.

THE PRZASNYSZ SUCCESS.

The Russians also captured 12 guns, 29 machine guns, 122 caissons, and many trains at Przasnysz.

The Germans, in superior numbers, almost surrounded the Russians at Przasnysz, enclosing them as between the blades of a pair of shears, with the handle at Lyskovo.

On February 24 the Russians turned the tables, capturing Krasnosoltz and bending back the German left to Schliar. They then retook Przasnysz, and enveloped the other flank westwards, preventing the Germans from retreating towards the Mlava.

The remnants of the German army are now falling back on Thorn.

On the 26th and 27th the Russians forced two German army corps to retire on to a neck of land seven miles wide, between Dzeelin and Schliar.

Of one army corps, consisting mostly of freshly-trained troops, only a quarter escaped.

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES.

It is estimated that Field-Marshal Von Hindenburg lost over 250,000 men last month. Nearly 30,000 were killed at Przasnysz.

STUBBORN FIGHTING.

Stubborn fighting was reported on Friday along the whole front between the Vistula and the Niemen. The Russians advanced at several points.

We successfully crossed the Lukwa.

BUKOVINA.

CZERNOWITZ EVACUATED.

BUCHAREST, March 5.

The Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, the capital of Bukovina.

REIGN OF TERROR.

LONDON, March 6.

The Novoselitza correspondent of the "Daily Chronicle" states that a reign of terror exists in Bukovina.

Spies swarm in the province, denouncing innocent inhabitants with Roumanian sympathies, and extorting money by threats and denunciation.

Wholesale executions are taking place at Czernowitz. The non-Austrian residents have fled, fearing persecution.

GERMAN SPOILERS.

REMOVE BRONZE STATUES.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

The Germans removed the 48 bronze statues representing the artistic and industrial guilds of the 16th century, from the Square du Petit-Sablon, Brussels, and despatched them to Germany.

They also attempted to take the massive bronze doors from Sainte Marie Church, but without success.

GERMAN REPORT.

THE TWO FRONTS.

RUSSIAN ATTACKS REPULSED.

AMSTERDAM, March 5.

A German communique states:—We inflicted considerable losses on the British north of Ypres. We repulsed a French attack north-east of Celles. The enemy left 1000 men lying on the field.

All the Russian attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses.

AIR FIGHTING.

USE OF TORPEDOES.

PARIS, March 6.

It is officially stated that during heavy trench fighting on the Reims-Betheny-Prunay front the Germans used aerial torpedoes. Nevertheless, the Germans lost heavily.

POWDER FACTORY ALIGHT.

PARIS, March 5.

The powder factory near Donauschinger, which was set alight by bombs dropped from a French aeroplane, was one of the most important in Germany.

The aeronaut dropped four bombs. The first set fire to the acid reservoirs and the other to the powder works.

M. PEGOUD HONOURED.

PARIS, March 6.

It is officially notified that M. Pegoud, of "looping the loop" fame, has been awarded the military medal for attacking three Taube aeroplanes, and putting them out of action, as cabled on February 14.

[A message from Paris on February 14 stated that a French airman, with a machine gun and gunner, chased a Taube. After some minutes of shot firing the Taube fell in flames, the wings being torn to ribbons. The Frenchman then attacked two other German aeroplanes. The first shot struck one of the aeroplanes, and then the Frenchman bore down on it vertically, firing incessantly. Suddenly the aeroplane fell like a stone. The Frenchman then rose to a height of 1800 metres, and engaged the third aeroplane. The latter replied to the attack from an automatic rifle. The German began falling, and after a minute tilted on the left wing. The Frenchman volplaned, firing continually. The German dashed to the ground, and the Frenchman was bombarded by shells. He returned to the French lines safely.]

ZEPPELIN DAMAGED.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

The Zeppelin L8 was seriously damaged in making a descent at Tirlemont.

REMARKABLE EXPLOIT.

CAPTAIN HONOURED.

LONDON, March 5.

In November last the British Admiralty commended the remarkable exploit of Captain Kinneir in saving the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamer Ortego, 8075 tons, from capture at the end of September. The Ortego was sighted by a German cruiser at the western entrance to the Straits of Magellan. The steamer headed for Nelson's Strait, followed by the cruiser, which kept firing her two heavy bow guns. The Ortego entered the uncharted Nelson Strait, where the cruiser dared not follow as the passage is narrow and tortuous, and bristles with reefs. In addition to saving the vessel, there were 300 French reservists aboard.

To-day the King had an audience with Captain Kinneir, and decorated him with the Distinguished Service Cross.

STEAMER ON FIRE.

AMMUNITION FOR ALLIES.

LONDON, March 7.

The French liner La Touraine sent a wireless message yesterday to Queenstown stating that she is on fire and in distress.

The vessel left New York on February 28 bound for Havre.

Steamers are going to her assistance.

New York advices state that the La Touraine carried ammunition for rapid-fire guns.

There were 38 first-class and 46 steerage passengers, including a party of doctors and nurses bound for the front.

Shipping circles advise that the passengers and crew of the La Touraine are safe.

STEAMER DACIA.

CAPTURE PRONOUNCED LEGAL.

PARIS, March 7.

It is officially stated that the maritime prefect at Brest has pronounced the steamer Dacia's capture to be legal.

The crew of the Dacia are returning to America.

SOUTH AFRICA.

HERTZOG DENOUNCED.

CAPETOWN, March 6.

During the debate on the Indemnity Bill Mr. Quin denounced General Hertzog for the part he had played in connection with the rebellion.

General Hertzog, he said, had duped others into treason, and should be shot. "He is safe," added Mr. Quin, "because he works in the darkness, and you can't shoot a man in the dark."

THE BLOCKADE.

FOOD RIOTS.

CROWDS BESIEGE MARKETS.

COPENHAGEN, March 6.

There are heavy food exports from all parts of Scandinavia to Germany. Six thousand cars are awaiting the discharge of orders.

The associated bacon factories are censuring their fellow-members for trading with Germany, which country is offering high prices.

Serious riots are taking place in the western cities of Germany, owing to the scarcity of potatoes.

Crowds besieged the markets at Cologne, and looted the shops. The police and military used their swords and rifle butts.

Hundreds of women and children were injured.

Scandinavian shipping companies refuse to carry German goods to America.

VERGE OF FAMINE.

NEW YORK, March 5.

The American Vice-Consul at Berlin, in a report dated January 28, declared that Germany was on the very verge of famine.

SOLDIERS' RATIONS CUT DOWN.

LONDON, March 6.

"Eye-witness" with the British troops, states that the German soldiers now get one loaf between three men, instead of between two.

SUBMARINES.

GERMAN CREWS NEED REST.

COPENHAGEN, March 7.

German admirals state that the strain on submarine crews is so great that it will be some weeks before fresh attempts are made.

MARAUDERS SUNK.

FRENCH WARSHIP'S WORK.

It is officially announced that a French warship shelled and thrice hit a German submarine in the Channel.

The submarine disappeared.

MERCHANTMEN'S CLAIM.

The Admiralty's examination confirms the probability that the Norwegian steamer Thordis sank a German submarine.

DUTCH STEAMER DAMAGED.

The Holland-America Company's steamer Noorderuyk, which had sailed for America, is returning to Rotterdam, in a badly damaged condition.

It is believed that the steamer was torpedoed in the Channel.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

LONDON, March 6.

Vice Admiral Sir John Jellicoe has been promoted to the rank of Admiral.

The London builders' unions are demanding 2d an hour increase.

J. Lyons and Co., Ltd., have been fined £50 on a charge of selling and depositing for preparation unsound meat as food for troops quartered at the White City, for whom they were catering.

The Agent-General for Victoria (Mr. M'Bride) has handed the Belgian Minister £20,000 from the Lord Mayor of Melbourne's Fund. The Minister thanked Victorians for their generosity.

Lieutenant Kenneth Thompson, of the Indian cavalry, lately of Geraldine, New Zealand, has been killed in the Persian Gulf.

GERMANY EXPLAINS.

ATTACK ON HOSPITAL SHIP.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, has issued an explanation of the attack on the hospital ship Asturias by a submarine off Havre last month. The German Government is sorry. It admits the attack, but as the distinctive marks showing the ship's character were not illuminated, the submarine's captain mistook her for a transport. The moment the vessel was recognised the attack ceased.

RED CROSS.

AUSTRALIA'S EFFORTS.

LONDON, March 6.

The "Times," in a leading article, referring to the Dominions' gifts to the British Red Cross, says: "While gratitude goes out to all who have partaken therein, we pay a special tribute of admiration to Australia's signal efforts."

TRADE AND FINANCE.

THE FALL IN EXPORTS.

LONDON, March 6.

The Board of Trade returns for the month of February show that imports increased by £3,215,163, compared with the corresponding month last year, and exports decreased by £15,084,800, whilst re-exports decreased by £3,419,271.

EXCHEQUER BONDS.

Tenders are about to be invited for £50,000,000, five years, 3 per cent. exchequer bonds. Tenders will close on 10th instant.

INDIAN WHEAT CROP.

DELHI, March 7.

The forecast for the wheat crop is 32,000,000 acres, being an increase in area of 23 per cent. The Government is arranging to export the surplus at the usual season.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

LONDON, March 6.

The steamer Berwick Law has left New York for New Zealand and Australian ports. The R.M.S. Maloja has left London for Australian ports.

WAR NOTES.

THE DARDANELLES.

The Allied fleet is making good progress with their task of forcing the passage of the Dardanelles. The attack on "The Narrows," between Chanak and Cape Nagura, is now in full blast. This is the most critical part of the whole operation; but, judging by the news to hand this morning, it should be accomplished even earlier than was expected. The entrance to the narrow neck is guarded by the forts of Kaleh Sultanieh (Chanak), on the Asiatic side, and Kilid Bahr, on the European shore. We are told that Kalid Bahr has been bombarded, and, although the fate of that position and the sister fort opposite has not been indicated, still another message states that the mine-sweeping has been completed as far as Chanak—and it is hardly likely that the trawlers would be pushed right up under these forts unless their fire had been reduced to insignificance. In the meantime the positions north of Chanak as far as Nagura have also been bombarded, the warships pitching shells into them over the Chanak headland at long range while riding in Sari Siglar Bay. And, while these operations are going on the landing parties are clearing the Turks out of the villages on either shore. They have not yet, apparently, met any considerable force of the enemy, though the fighting that has occurred has resulted in a number of British casualties. One cablegram states that Admiral Souchon, the German officer in charge of the Turkish navy, is at the head of a squadron lying to the lee of Cape Nagura, his vessels including the ex-German cruiser Breslau (4500 tons, 12 4.1in guns) and the 3800-ton cruisers Hamidieh and Medjidieh (two 6in and eight 4.7in guns), together with four destroyers. This little squadron is hardly likely seriously to incommode the Allied fleet, and if it elects to challenge the passage of the latter the chances are very much in favour of it finding its last resting place in the Dardanelles.

STRAWS IN THE WIND.

In the meantime comes the news from Bucharest that the Turks and Germans now realise that they are powerless to prevent the Allied fleet from penetrating the Dardanelles, and they are hastily transferring a number of guns to the islands in the Sea of Marmora. But when once the British and French ships have steamed past Gallipoli no fortified island in the Sea of Marmora is going to prevent them bombarding Constantinople. If the guns now being transferred could be used with any effect against the oncoming ships they would be calculated to do infinitely more damage in the Dardanelles themselves than elsewhere. However, the truest indication of what the enemy thinks about the situation is to be gleaned from the Washington cablegram published this morning, to the effect that Germany has asked the United States to take over her diplomatic affairs in Constantinople.

RUSSIAN SUCCESS IN GALICIA.

The most important news from the European front is that recording the success which is attending the Russian offensive in Bukovina and Eastern Galicia. In the former region the Czar's troops have retaken Czernowitz, the capital, and they are steadily pressing the Austrians southward once more. The fortunes of war have alternated remarkably in Bukovina ever since the first Russian invasion months ago; but the Grand Duke has never had such a strong force there as he has now, and it begins to look as though the present advance is to be pushed on with the fixed determination to sweep along the Roumanian border and keep in touch with that territory until Bucharest decides to come into the struggle. As to Eastern Galicia, the Russian victory at Stanislavoff and on the Bystritsa, to the south, gains its importance from the two facts that it definitely checks a rather ominous Austrian advance towards Lemberg, and that it gives the Russians command of a most valuable railway centre, as Stanislavoff is the junction of four lines from the north, south, east, and west. The recent Austrian successes in Bukovina and the advance northward to Stanislavoff, which is about 70 miles from Lemberg, created an uncomfortable position on the extreme Russian left, and was reflected in the operations along the line of the Carpathians. This latest turning of the tables, then, will place a somewhat different complexion upon the whole Galician situation.

THE SUBMARINE "BLOCKADE."

There is something humorous in the statement credited to the German admirals that the strain on their submarine crews has been so great in connection with the blockade of the United Kingdom that it will be some weeks before they will resume active operations in that connection. At the outset of the "blockade" Germany proclaimed, full-voiced, her possession of more than enough submarines to deal effectively with Britain's mercantile marine. If the flotilla they detailed for the work was at all large, then it achieved exceedingly meagre results, and it afforded a very poor advertisement of German submarine enterprise. If—the more likely case—only two or three vessels were sent out on the piratical mission, then Germany, with all the submarines she says she has, should find no difficulty in having the boats frequently relieved. The admission that there has been a tremendous strain for an infinitesimal result becomes quaintly damaging for the Marine Amt, from whatever angle it is viewed. But we cannot, of course, be sure that the statement has been made, or, if it has been, that it has not been made with the object of throwing merchant skippers off their guard.

FRUITLESS AND RISKY.

It must now, however, be clear to even the densest German that the blockade has been a rank failure when judged in the light of the great things expected of it; and the events of the past few days now show that the merchantman is not altogether the most harmless type of quarry for submarines. So perhaps the Marine Amt wants to cover up the withdrawal of its submarines from a task that can hardly be considered fruitful but is certainly becoming more and more risky. A few further incidents like the Thordis and Alston affairs and the German submarine flotillas will have serious gaps in them. Germany wants her under-water craft primarily for attacks on the British battleships. In the absence of their legitimate quarry the sinking of merchantmen without damage to themselves would be a nice little side line; but when the merchantmen begin to hit back it is an altogether different matter. It is a distinctly unprofitable business to sink a couple of cargo steamers and then lose your submarine with her highly-trained crew. It was just such a consideration that made Germany declare so earnestly in her reply to the United States Note that merchantmen should not be armed. In the meantime it may be remarked that the sudden cessation of the "blockade" operations throws a comical light on the bargain Germany wants to make with us on the basis of her withdrawing her terrible menace to English shipping.

ADMIRAL SIR JOHN JELLICOE.

The news that the British Naval Commander-in-Chief has been promoted to full admiral rank was only to be expected. Sir John Jellicoe was only a vice-admiral when the war broke out, and when he was given the appointment of Commander-in-Chief he was promoted to Acting Admiral. The January Navy List showed that Sir John had been gained three places in the seniority list under a special Order-in-Council. Some such step was necessary, as Vice-Admiral Sir Stanley Colville, ranking two places above Sir John Jellicoe, was flying his flag in the fleet which was commanded by the latter. Mention of the flying of flags, by the way, recalls the interesting fact, also gleaned from the latest Navy List, that all four ships of the Benbow class are now flagships, Admiral Sir John Jellicoe being in the Iron Duke, Vice-Admiral Sir Douglas Gamble in the Benbow, Vice-Admiral Sir Cecil Burney in the Marlborough, and Rear-Admiral A. L. Duff in the Emperor of India. The appropriation of an entire group to serve as flagships is probably unique.

THE DELICATE ZEPPELIN.

Still another Zeppelin airship has come to grief, this one being the L8, which has been seriously damaged while descending at Tirlemont. Taken on results so far, the damage done to Zeppelins far outweighs the damage done by them; and the Germans should certainly by this time be coming to the conclusion that the hundreds of thousands of pounds that are being spent on these craft bids fair to prove money absolutely thrown away. This latest mishap emphasises the delicate constitution of the Zeppelin. It can only fly in fair weather, and even then the strain on the giant fabric is tremendous. A well-known airman who once went up as a passenger in a Zeppelin said that when the engine jumped the entire airship jumped with an awful jar in all its myriad joints; the wind currents took it and made it pitch "at a dozen angles at once," and he, skilled airman as he was, looked fearfully aloft in expectation of the back breaking. On landing, he watched one of the crew open the outer skin, which is stitched over the framework of aluminium girders, and go inside. Then presently he saw something that startled him. The man started to sweep out hundreds of nuts and bolts. The strain of the flight had had its effect on the immense number of aluminium girders that support the balloons inside the outer skin. Aluminium is a soft metal, and under the jarring scores and scores of those nuts had worked loose, and had fallen out. He was told that after every voyage of any length this sort of thing happened. As to the Tirlemont affair, it will probably prove that the trouble occurred during an attempt to get the great unwieldy thing into a temporary hangar there. A picked company three or four hundred men is necessary to bring a Zeppelin to anchor. These men have to work with military precision, or there is disaster. If one section fails to hold while the other is holding, one half of the dirigible climbs into the air as the other half remains stationary, and the back of the airship is broken. And when the craft is brought down evenly the greatest nicety is required to get it into its hangar, especially if there is any wind at all.

GERMAN OFFICIALS.

ANOTHER PARTY GOING TO EUROPE.

Already two parties of German officials and their wives, numbering about 140 all told, have been permitted to leave Australia under the terms of capitulation arranged at Rabaul between Colonel Holmes, who had charge of the Australian forces there, and the late German Administrator in the Pacific (Dr. Haber), and next Saturday a third batch is to go by the Sonoma, via San Francisco. The third party is only a small one, comprising two or three officials and their families from outlying Pacific Islands.

It may be mentioned that the German officials from Samoa, which was occupied by a New Zealand force under Colonel Logan, are all interned on an island off the New Zealand mainland, no such arrangement having been made in regard to them as was made in the case of the those in New Guinea and other islands occupied by the Australian force.

It was stated by the Minister for Defence (Senator Pearce), on his last visit to Sydney, that no stipulation had been made for the exchange of British subjects interned in Germany, including the unfortunate Australians whose names were given in the "Herald" on Saturday.

KING PETER'S MESSAGE.

"THE GREAT ENGLISH NATION."

The following message from King Peter of Servia was published in the "Daily Chronicle" on January 1:—

"I am glad of the occasion that has been offered me of expressing to the English nation the feelings that animate my people and myself on this the first day of the year that is beginning.

"Terrible and painful as have been the trials which have befallen our motherland during the past three years, and which are not yet ended, I am convinced that neither courage nor confidence will fail us until the task that has been begun is achieved. We have an unshakable faith in the future.

"I am convinced that the efforts of all those who are fighting at this moment for the cause of right, justice, and liberty for the peoples, great and small, will, with God's help, be crowned with success.

"I hope for the coming at no distant date of a long peace, won at the price of the heaviest sacrifices, in which all the nations will be able to consecrate all their vital energies solely to the task of progress.

"My land is proud of fighting for these noble causes alongside the great English nation and her noble and mighty allies.

"I seize this occasion of expressing to the British nation not only the gratitude of the Serbian people, but also my most sincere wish that the year that is beginning may bring to an end the great and terrible conflict which stains it with blood.

"PETER, REX."

LATE WAR NEWS.

IN FULL RETREAT.

ENEMY IN BUKOVINA.

ROME, March 7.

The Austrian-Hungarian army in Bukovina, under two German generals, is in full retreat. Men deserting have been taken prisoner in hundreds.

THE SUBMARINES.

GERMANY'S LOSSES.

COPENHAGEN, March 7.

The "Tageblat" admits that according to news from neutral countries more than seven German submarines have been sunk since February 18.

FOOD IN GERMANY.

ALLOWANCE REDUCED.

COPENHAGEN, March 7.

Advices from Berlin state that the individual allowance of flour already is being reduced from 2000 to 1400 grammes weekly.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES.

GOVERNMENT ARBITRATION.

LONDON, March 7.

The conference of representatives of employers and workers at Sheffield did not arrive at any agreement in the Clyde dispute, and the matter has been referred to Government arbitration.

Workers in the Southampton shipyards demand an increase of 5s a week, and 10 per cent. on piecework from March 13. The employers will confer on Tuesday.

SMYRNA.

BRITISH BOMBARDMENT.

LONDON, March 7.

Reuter's correspondent at Athens states that Rear-Admiral Peirse's squadron silenced the Smyrna heights, and is now bombarding the forts at the entrance of the gulf.

The Euryalus is Rear-Admiral Peirse's flagship.

RECRUITING.

FAVOURABLE TURN.

NEARLY A THOUSAND.

There was more than an average total of recruiting at the barracks on Saturday, and, in consequence, the figures for the week were very much improved. The thousand, which has been the regular thing for each week since the Christmas holidays, was, for the first time, not quite reached, but the aggregate is close to the four figures, being 964, made up as follow:—Sunday, 54; Monday, 174; Tuesday, 180; Wednesday, 145; Thursday, 150; Friday, 126; Saturday, 135.

The military authorities hope that the slight deficiency of last week will be more than compensated for by the enlisting, which will probably take place this week. They expect that practically every man who returned fit and well from the Tropics will be offering his services for Europe. Recruiting was continued for the second time yesterday between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. Warrant-Officer Muckleston, the enrolling officer, reported that 143 applicants had presented themselves, and that practically the whole of them were sent on for examination. Medical men were in attendance to prevent any loss of time to those who might have to follow daily avocations during business hours. The examination results on the whole were very satisfactory, less than 10 per cent. of the applicants failing to pass the tests. Except in cases where men specially came from the country to go direct into camp, those who enlisted yesterday were not sent out to Liverpool, but were told to report themselves at the barracks this morning to join in with the squad which would leave by the early-afternoon train.

Yesterday's recruits were a good class of men, and, in conjunction with those of last week, they represented not only bushmen, but law clerks, journalists, policemen, farriers, ship stewards, seamen, vocalists, civil servants, musicians, and bandsmen.

In response to the call of the War Office for doctors for the front a good many applications have already been received, but many more are required to make up the one hundred.

The following additional appointments in the Australian Imperial expeditionary forces are announced:—

To be Lieutenant.—Honorary Captain F. G. Code.

To be Second Lieutenants.—Honorary Lieutenant R. N. Cadden, Sergeant Walter Ballantyne Tunbridge, Squadron Sergeant-Major William Stanhope Pender, Sergeant Mervyn Bournes Higgins, Squadron Sergeant-Major Hartley Williams, Sergeant Hugo Vivian Hope Throssell.

"Anxious" (Paddington): The rate of pay for a wife and one child while the husband is on active service is 3s 5d of the 5s to which he is entitled. Where there are no children the allotment is 2s 5d. The separation allowance of 1s 3d per day for the wife and 7½d per day for each child under 14 years of age is payable only while the husband is in camp here.

"F.R." (Chatswood): There are no pensions for members of the Commonwealth permanent forces.

OUR DEBT TO AMERICA.

BUSINESS MAN'S LETTER.

The following is taken from a letter written by Mr. E. B. Tredwen, chairman of the Australasian section of the London Chamber of Commerce, and chairman of the Exporters' Association:—

"When in New York on November 27 an American friend called my attention to an article in an Australian paper of September 24, and the correspondence in the columns of the paper on September 26, which I perused with very great regret, and surprise that anything so unjust and unfair to our American cousins should have found place in the paper. The United States have not only sent the toys so ungraciously alluded to, they have not forgotten the grown-ups. Their generous gifts of money, food, and clothing, their splendidly-equipped hospitals, have been an inestimable boon not only to the distressed Belgians, but also to the French and English wounded soldiers. Never has any nation more generously contributed to suffering humanity.

"Nor must we forget the splendid work done by the American Ambassadors and their staffs, and the American Consular offices on the Continent in assisting our fellow subjects. We owe the United States a deep debt of gratitude. I was in the United States when the war began, and I have been there since, and my experience was that nine-tenths of the Americans are heart and soul with us. They recognise that we are fighting for them as well as for ourselves. The leading article in the 'New York Times' of December 15 represents American opinion as I found it.

"I hope that the United States will learn one lesson from this war, that arbitration treaties, Hague Conventions, and disarmament cannot maintain the peace of the world, and that they will take a lesson from Australia and train their youth to arms. I hope, also, that England will do the same. Then if the British Empire and the United States both maintain armies and navies in proportion to their vast responsibilities, and make an alliance of the Anglo-Saxon race for the maintenance of peace, it will be the best thing for each and for the whole world."

STOCK ROUTES.

£2,000,000 ON IMPROVEMENTS.

MR. ASHFORD'S SCHEME.

The Cabinet has sanctioned a scheme for improving the stock routes of the State, and has furnished the Minister for Lands with a sum of £40,000 to start it. Mr. Ashford has put the scheme before his colleagues, and on Saturday stated that, to properly carry it out would require an expenditure spread over a number of years of about £2,000,000.

No meeting of pastoralists or graziers has been held for many years past in New South Wales without the Government being condemned for the lax management of Crown lands generally, and more particularly travelling stock routes. These routes are often half a mile wide, and are the breeding-grounds for rabbits and pests generally. Landowners in the vicinity poison and dig out rabbits, but, owing to the way the rabbits multiply on the stock routes, no appreciable headway against the pest can be made.

Mr. Ashford's scheme is designed to remove this reproach. First of all, he proposed to decrease the width of the routes to a few chains, and throw open for settlement the surplus portions. The routes will be wire-netted, and efforts made to eradicate the rabbits. It is considered that this will enormously increase the carrying capacity of the routes, and make them really valuable for the stock that travel along them for days at a stretch. At suitable points tanks will be provided. The whole of the State will be treated in this way, and a start will be made in frequented districts where the rabbits are at present more plentiful.

Mr. Ashford stated that he has great hopes for the scheme, inasmuch as his experience taught him that the rabbits were as bad as a drought almost for the man on the land. "The rabbits," he said, "are as bad as a water famine."

Mr. Ashford said that he also has secured a sum of £40,000 from the Treasury for the purpose of advancing money to settlers in the arid districts to enable them to excavate suitable tanks. He had noticed that, during his travels recently through districts affected by the dry weather, the man who had a tank was able to pull through, while the man who had made no such provision was badly hit. "Sometimes," said the Minister for Lands, "a man has only about £50 to spend on a tank, and by the time the drought is severest he finds that he has no water. But if he has been able to spend £200 on his tank he would have had a real stand-by. My proposal is to enable the settler to borrow, say, £200, for this purpose, so that he may be in a better position to withstand a dry spell."

It was announced by the Minister that the amount applied for by settlers for advances to enable them to clear land for extra wheat-growing was far below what had been expected. This he attributed largely to the drought in the Riverina, but it did not follow from the fact that a greater area would not be put under cultivation this year. The drought would certainly interfere in this connection in some parts, but in districts where the drought had not been so bad there would be a great increase. He had noticed in the best wheat-growing districts an increased area being ploughed, and he considered that this augured well for the year's harvest.

FIGHTING ALONG SUEZ CANAL.

CAUSE OF MONGOLIA'S DELAY.

The delay of the R.M.S. Mongolia, which reached Sydney on Saturday two days late, was caused in the Suez Canal, the liner having to wait at Port Said nearly 48 hours, until the attack by the Turks had been repulsed. The boom of the guns in the action between the British forces and the Turks had been distinctly heard. From the decks of the Mongolia, when she was at length allowed to proceed, passengers had a splendid view of the site of the most important action on the eastern bank. Numerous bodies of dead Turks could be discerned, and burial parties were at work when the ship passed.

PYRAMID "FATALITIES."

OFFICIAL DENIAL.

REPORT NOT CORRECT.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The Assistant-Minister for Defence, Mr. Jensen, stated to-day that there was no foundation for the cabled report that four soldiers had been killed by accident on the Pyramids. The Defence Department, he said, had cabled to Egypt, and, from the replies received, he could say there was no truth in the report. Casualties were at once reported to the Minister for Defence, and he advised the public not to let unofficial messages of such occurrences give them any uneasiness unless they were verified from headquarters.

HAY STACKS DESTROYED.

A MYSTERIOUS FIRE.

BATHURST, Sunday.

A sequel to the destruction by fire last month of two stacks of hay, the property of Samuel Freebrey, of Peel, was seen at the local police court, when George Hamilton Williams was charged with maliciously setting fire to the property.

Senior-constable Lennon said that the black tracker engaged had traced footprints from the fire to within 28 yards of accused's house. The impression of a pair of boots owned by Williams were identical with the tracks discovered by the black tracker. Accused, said witness, had admitted to him that he had a row with one of the Freebreys, and that he, accused, had remarked that he would have a day of reckoning with him.

Samuel Freebrey, owner of the destroyed stack, stated that there was nothing to indicate how the fire could have travelled naturally from one stack to the other.

Walter Freebrey stated that he had had a stand-up fight with accused.

Williams said he had been on good terms with the owner of the stacks. On the night of the fire he was awakened by his wife, who first noticed the outbreak. He could not account for the tracks leading up to his house.

The magistrate, Mr. C. Jennings, dismissed the case.

SHOT FROM SOUTH HEAD.

VESSEL STOPPED.

A shot fired from the fort at South Head on Saturday night caused excitement in Watson's Bay until it was learned that the incident had been caused by a misunderstanding regarding a steamer which was leaving port.

The coaster Novelty was passing through the Heads at about 25 minutes to 7. The vessel had obtained her clearance, and was going out when the patrol steamer, apparently not being aware that she had obtained her clearance, whistled to her to stop. The vessel was proceeding when a shot was fired across her bows. The steamer then stopped, and the patrol steamer went alongside, and after being satisfied that the steamer's clearance was in order, allowed her to proceed.

WOOL SALES.

KEEN COMPETITION AT GISBORNE.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Sunday.

At Gisborne wool sale, competition was very keen. Prices were a penny to three-halfpence above those which obtained at the previous sale.

RIFLE RESERVES.

PRESS RIFLE CLUB.

A meeting of members of the Press Rifle Club was held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel, Gresham-street, on Saturday evening, Captain Arthur Holmes presiding. The regulations and bylaws, as drafted by the committee, were adopted, with minor alterations. Entrance to the club is free to all employees of metropolitan newspapers, the subscription being 2s 6d per quarter for active members. The fee for honorary members was fixed at not less than 10s per year, while life members may be enrolled on payment of £5. It was decided that shooting practice be carried out on Thursday and Saturday afternoons. The question of establishing a miniature range was discussed, it being eventually decided to defer consideration of the matter indefinitely. The chairman explained the steps taken by the committee in connection with uniforms for members.

A vote of thanks was passed to the club's instructors, and in returning thanks Captain Holmes paid a high tribute to the ability displayed by Lieut. Glider, adding that the success of the club was largely due to that officer's able instruction.

Among the correspondence read by the secretary were letters from the following gentlemen, accepting positions as patrons:—Sir James Fairfax, and Messrs. G. E. and J. O. Fairfax, Major J. Randal Carey, Mr. H. R. Denison, Mr. A. H. H. Aldworth, and Mr. W. Macleod.

The club will drill to-night at 7.30, at Government House grounds. Newspaper employees desirous of joining the club should attend.

MASTER RETAILERS' CLUB.

A number of the retailers of Sydney are about to form a combined club, the employees of the different houses concerned meeting and drilling together. The names of employees are being enrolled now, and a meeting will be held in the School of Arts, Pitt-street, on Wednesday evening next, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of forming the club.

Among the firms interested are Messrs. W. T. Waters and Co., Ltd., who signified their intention of providing their employees with uniforms, allowing time off to drill, and giving trophies to encourage rivalry amongst the members.

ROCKDALE.

The Rockdale Rifle Club held a route march on Saturday, when the Rockdale, Kogarah, and Arncliffe companies joined forces at the Rockdale Town Hall, and, headed by the bugle band of the 38th Senior Cadets, proceeded through Rockdale to Hopetoun Park, Banksia, where section drill was performed to the satisfaction of the commanding officer, Major Fuller. The drill, and especially the marching, reflected great credit upon both instructors and men, considering the short period of training. The weekly drill will be held at Rockdale school at 8 p.m. on Thursday, when new members may be enrolled.

'VARSITY MEN IN CAMP.

KIAMA, Sunday.

Sydney University Rifle Club has been in camp at Kiama Showground for a week, and has utilised the spacious pavilion and other buildings for sleeping and dining. The company was under the command of Dr. J. P. Madsen, captain of the club. The instructors were Captain Stoddart, Lieutenant Small, Warrant-officer Foley, and Sergeant Pike, of the University Scouts. Particular attention was devoted to musketry. In the opinion of the officer commanding, Kiama offers exceptional facilities for this work. The rifle club range is only a short distance from the camp. No man was allowed to go on the firing mound except under special and strict supervision, and all members of the club underwent a thorough preliminary training in musketry before being allowed to shoot. Members were delighted with their arduous work, and have benefited considerably by the experience thus gained. The camp was conducted on strictly military lines. Professor David and Professor Vonwiller accompanied the club as lieutenants. The registrar (Mr. H. E. Barff), Professors Pollock, Watt, Stewart, Robinson, Schofield, and Chapman were amongst the privates present. Dr. S. J. Johnston acted as secretary of the camp, and Mr. E. Le Gay Brereton as quartermaster and treasurer.

LETTERS TO ENEMY COUNTRIES.

COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

The following statement regarding correspondence for enemy countries was published by the Defence Department to-day:—Letters for places in territories of the German, Austrian, or Turkish Empires are undeliverable if addressed directly to such places. Letters so addressed will not be despatched, but will be returned to the senders. Letters may, however, be transmitted to addresses in enemy countries indirectly. This may be done by enclosing a letter in an envelope addressed to an intermediary in a neutral country. The intermediary may be a person, or firm, or agency, chosen by the sender. The letter for the enemy country should itself be left open and enclosed in the envelope addressed to the neutral intermediary. If the latter is then closed and posted, it must be plainly endorsed with words indicating its contents, "Letter for Germany enclosed," or "Letter enclosed for Smyrna," etc., etc. Such envelopes will be opened, and the enclosed contents scrutinised by the censor, and if not objectionable will be allowed to pass.

The attempt to get any such letters through the post uncensored will be likely to result in their confiscation. In order to avoid the necessity for opening the enclosing envelope addressed to the neutral intermediary (for the purpose of censorship prior to despatch) it may, after being adequately stamped, be left open and placed in an outer envelope, addressed to the Censor, G.P.O., who will scrutinise its contents. If passed by the censor, he will close the envelopes, inner and outer, and hand it to the postal authorities for transmission.

Correspondents are reminded that they alone are responsible for the provision of the postage required to transmit the enclosure from the hands of the intermediary to the enemy destination. Thus, American stamps would require to be placed on enclosed letters for Germany posted in America, Dutch stamps for enclosures to be posted in Holland, and so on. It is, however, possible to obtain international coupons in Australia, which would be exchangeable for postage stamps in other countries. Failing this provision, private arrangements with the neutral intermediary would have to be made, otherwise the letters might be posted in the neutral country unstamped, and the surcharge postage for an unstamped letter collected at the destination.

Correspondence with persons in enemy territories is limited to private and personal letters. There must be no discussion of political matters, and the letter must not refer to questions of trade or commerce. Such letters should be as brief as possible, not exceeding one sheet of ordinary notepaper. It is important that all handwriting should be easily read and it is preferable that letters should be written in either English, French, or German. Payments of money to British subjects in an enemy country may be made through an agency or one of the principal banks. All correspondence intended for enemy destination should be posted a day or two in advance of the time for closure of the outgoing mail.

INTERNED SAILING SHIPS.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Tenders are invited by the Minister for Defence, Senator Pearce, for the charter for six months of the following interned German sailing vessels:—At Sydney, the four-masted barque Athene, 2470 tons; four-masted barque, Ernst, 2193 tons; at Newcastle, four-masted barque, Carl Rudgert Vinnen, 2902 tons; four-masted barque, Suzanne Vinnen, 2739 tons, which has 4908 tons of coal on board.

PRODUCE DUTIES.

It is officialy announced that a record is being kept of all duty paid on importations of bran, pollard, and oaten straw, whether by State authorities or private importers. The intention is to provide for the refund of the duty. From 4 p.m. on March 4 the same concession applied to hay, chaff, and oats.

PRISONERS OF WAR.

During the period of the war goods for the personal use of prisoners of war interned in Australia, and not for sale, may be delivered free of duty.

BELGIAN FUND.

The following additional contributions were received by the secretaries on Saturday:—

	£	s	d
To amount previously acknowledged	£5360	15	6
J. B. Dance	1	1	0
Mrs. J. Moulton (per David Jones, Ltd.)	1	1	0
Collected by Mrs. G. A. Hodson, Mrs. Donald Scott, and Mrs. Welch—In Turramurra, £3/18/; in Wahroonga, £12/7/6; Mr. M'Fadyen, £1; Mr. and Mrs. Crichton Smith, £1 (first instalment)	17	5	6
The Gladonians (monthly subscriptions)	1	0	0
Wilfred Docker	3	3	0
Employees of B. J. Ball, Ltd. (fortnightly subscription)	7	12	0
Charles Forster	10	0	0
Mrs. W. Borthistle (monthly subscription)	1	0	0
J. W. Tyrer (monthly subscription)	0	5	0
J. Clowes, Annandale Public School (pupils of fourth class)	10	0	0
J. J. Rouse (monthly subscription)	5	0	0
Kodak (Australasia), Ltd. (monthly subscription)	10	0	0
Ed. Reading	2	2	0
John Hunter (price paid at auction for Belgian dollar)	150	0	0
Keylock, L.	1	0	0
A. H. Nathan (monthly subscription)	2	0	0
Wyong Patriotic Fund	25	0	0
A. E. Jaques (monthly subscription)	5	0	0
Sargood Bros. (monthly subscription)	50	0	0
Mrs. Edmond, Colomsby, Mosman	0	10	0
John Fairfax and Sons	1000	0	0
	£6667	3	0

CONSUL'S LIST.

M. Watteeuw, Consul for Belgium, 14 Castlereagh-street, advises that the amount received to date is £167,416/3/6.

	£	s	d
New South Wales contributions to date	£106,249	19	6
Queensland contributions to date	13,577	11	11
Auckland Provincial Belgian Relief Fund (N.Z.)	£2,500	0	0
Christchurch (N.Z.) Belgian Relief Fund	4,583	9	7
New South Wales further donations:—			
R. C. Smith	1	1	0
Employees of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, further instalment	8	6	8
Mrs. M'Namara and daughter	1	3	6
"Meath"	0	6	0
"Hymettus" (monthly)	0	10	6
K. V. E. (weekly)	0	2	6
Miss Doris M'Donald	0	5	0
W. B. Scott Fell	0	12	0
Louis Stone	1	1	0
Joseph Goodheim (further donation)	2	2	0
Lily M. Russell	5	5	0
Patience, Andrew, Elsa, and Sybil	1	0	0
Some employees of the City Council's Garbage Destructor, Moore Park, 4th instalment	1	18	0
Mrs. Freeman	1	0	0
George Curle	0	10	0
K. S. K.	5	5	0
C. Lott	0	4	0
Mrs. A. Chamberlain	0	10	0
S. T. Leigh and Co's. employees, 20th inst.	12	19	7
O. Garnett	0	10	0
W. J.	5	0	0
Miss Cawte	1	0	0
Per Miss Alice Cohen	3	0	0
The Lady Dianthus	2	2	0
Widow, Paddington	1	0	0
Erskineville Boys' School, 3B Class	0	3	1
Erskineville Boys' School, 4A Class	0	14	11
Employees M'Kinlay and Cummings, 1st weekly contribution	1	2	0
W. Armstrong	0	10	0
Mrs. W. A. Brodie	2	0	0
R. H. C.	1	1	0
Home Affairs Dept., day labour employed at Quarantine Station, Sydney	5	10	4
A. C.	1	0	0
Pupils of Rockdale Public School, 1st monthly instalment	2	6	2
Mary Palmer	1	0	0
N. Willis	1	0	0
R. M. Bell	2	0	0
Gladys Loveridge	2	0	0
Lucy M. Moore	5	0	0
W.	0	4	0
Several sympathisers of Beecroft	9	5	0
W. Moore	5	0	0
M. Rutherford	5	5	0
G. Beddulph Henning (monthly)	5	5	0
Office and Store Staff Royal Edward Victualling Yard, Pyrmont	4	0	6
Australian Thistle	1	4	0
D. R. and B. Schleicher	1	5	0
H. F. Watson (monthly)	3	3	0
Miss M. B. Mullens	2	0	0
C. P. Curlewis (weekly)	1	0	0
Charles Crawford, 2nd regular monthly instalment	2	0	0
J. R. Nellford	1	0	0
M. Raleigh	0	10	0
C. Raleigh	0	10	0
E. Raleigh	0	10	6
Lily S.	0	5	0
A. G. Moorley	1	1	0
Mrs. James Murt	1	0	0
Miss Mabel Robertson	0	10	0
Willoughby Public School pupils	1	0	0
Coogee "Granny"	0	10	0
Ladies of the Kiama Patriotic Society	25	0	0
Mrs. Victor Hyams	1	1	0
Victor Hyams	2	2	0
Board of the Public Trust Office	1,000	0	0
Collected by Olive Bourke, in Lytton's Moving Theatre, Glen Innes	4	15	0
Miss Duncan	1	1	0
Employees of D. Sheehy and Sons	0	10	0
Friends	0	10	0
T. G. Brisbane	1	0	0
Employees of Parke, Davis, and Co., second contribution	3	2	5
Fred Bricknell (monthly)	1	0	0
Mrs. M. H. Tucker	5	0	0
Mrs. J. M. Kern	2	2	0
A. W.	0	10	0
Collected by Mrs. Rawson Moody, at the "Carlton," Katoomba	7	0	0
Quatre Dames Britanniques	0	2	0
Collected by Ritchie Broadhurst	0	3	3
Staff of Rabbit Island Hospital, monthly subs.	1	18	0
Rev. Alfred J. H. Priest, second instal.	1	0	0
"Wallacia"	0	12	0
Further contrib. from Goulburn and district	155	2	1
Annie Donaldson	0	4	0
Mrs. Archie Donaldson	0	1	0
Proceeds of sale of a gramophone, per J. Spencer	1	10	0
The staff Infant Dept., Waverley Sup. Public School	0	16	9
Mrs. H. F. Moses	5	5	0
D. J. Duffy (Strathfield)	1	1	0
John Grannes	5	5	0
A friend	0	1	0
C. R. Blaxland, per Pastoralists' Union	5	0	0
Mrs. G. E. Gill	1	1	0
Miss Mary Gill	1	1	0
Mrs. W. Hyem	5	0	6
J.R.L. (monthly contrib.)	8	6	8
W. T. Edwards, 3rd contrib.	5	5	0
Mrs. W. T. Edwards, 3rd contrib.	5	5	0
Cowra Methodist Sunday School	2	0	0
Pupils Matong Public School, weekly	0	6	6
Mrs. R. Stewart	1	0	0
Employees Electric Light and Power Supply Corporation, Ltd.	5	10	6
Collected by Mrs. Louis Rosenbloom, at Rushcutter Bay, 2nd collection	1	8	0
Binalong Patriotic Fund	100	0	0
Irene Stone	0	5	0
E.L.S.	0	3	0
S. Louisa McIntyre (monthly)	1	1	0
Employees of Prescott, Ltd., 5th instal.	10	0	0
M.J.H.	0	10	0
"Blue"	0	5	0
J.H.B.	0	2	6
H. Martin	1	1	0
S. J. Shanahan	1	1	0
A. P. Graham	2	0	0
T. J. Wark	0	10	6
Kangaroos, further	1	0	6
A.M.J., 1/ per week for 6 months	1	6	0
Dr. John Morton	10	10	0
Teacher and pupils of Tempe Public School, 1st instal.	4	4	6
Teacher and pupils of Kegworth School	2	6	0
A. Goldey	2	0	0
Mrs. H. Clarke	0	10	0
John C. H. Mingaye	1	1	0
Mrs. H. J. Duffy, Strathfield	1	1	0
	£167,416	3	6

SERVIAN FUND.

The Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade acknowledges receipt of the following further subscriptions to the Servian Relief Fund:—

	£	s	d
Granville Citizens' Patriotic Fund	£25	0	0
T. F. Cooper	2	2	0
Binalong Patriotic Funds Committee	10	0	0
National Relief Fund of N.S.W.	1000	0	0
Amount previously acknowledged	2019	15	6
Total	£3056	17	6

NEWCASTLE SHOW.

RECORD FOR THE ASSOCIATION.

NEWCASTLE, Sunday.

The fourteenth annual show of the Newcastle A., H., and I. Association was concluded on Saturday, and proved to be a record for the association. The attendance during the day was close on 18,000, and was the largest that has ever been seen there on a show day. The receipts during the day amounted to £649, making a total of £1335, inclusive of revenue from side shows, for the four days.

The new exhibitors' pavilion contained exhibits which were superior to those in past years. Agriculture was placed in a new pavilion, and the various exhibits outclassed last year's show. The exhibits under the Public School Teachers' Association came in for special attention.

Mr. H. J. Cannington, president of the association, said, "This has been the best show we have had, both in respect of the quality and number of exhibits, as well as the attendances during the four days. One of the most pleasing features, in my opinion, is the success of the agricultural section. For years we have been told that we could not run an agricultural exhibit, but this show proves the contrary." A programme of sports was carried out. Mr. J. Hogan's Medlow Bath attempted to lower his previous record of one mile in 2m 20s, and succeeded in lowering it by a fifth of a second. Results were:—

Pony (14.2) Trot, 1m.—R. Wood's Ginger (scr) and A. Procter's Kenlock (scr) dead-heat. Time, 3m 2½s.

W. Winn and Co.'s Handicap Trot, 1m.—P. Jenkins' Miss Ada (8s behind), 1; R. West's All Green (11s behind), 2. Time, 2m 58s.

Great Northern Trot, 1½m.—M. Frith's Woodstock, 14s behind, 1; D. A. Craft's Cashedy, 8s behind, 2; R. Brownlee's Milk Lad, 9s behind, 3.

Newcastle High Jump.—A. Judd's Bandolier and A. Judd's Sunstar jumped 6ft 6in and divided the prize.

Great Northern Hunt, about 1m.—A. Judd's Malinga, 166 points, 1; A. Judd's Bandolier, 142 points, 2.

Water Jump.—A. Judd's Malinga, 26ft 11½in, 1; M. Campbell's Argyle, 25ft 6½in, 2.

COUNTRY MILK SUPPLIERS.

WOLLONGONG, Sunday.

Suppliers to the Fresh Food and Ice Company and the Farmers and Dairymen's Company have received advice of a rise to 9d a gallon, to take effect this week. It is understood that the rise in price to suppliers will not be passed on to the Sydney consumer.

PATRIOTIC FUNDS.

LORD MAYOR'S LIST.

Already acknowledged, £187,357/18/6; Public School, McArthur, Gravesend, 3/11; pupils of Moorland Public School, 4/2; employees R. L. Scrutton, Ultimo works, 5th instal., £7; Dulwich Hill Patriotic Fund, £100; North Berry Jerry and Pannock Patriotic Fund, further instalment, £8/15/; A. E. Hall, per M. J. Feehan, Wingadee, Coonamble, £2/16/9. Total, £187,771/18/6.

FOOD FUND.

Subscriptions should be sent to the secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Grosvenor-street, Sydney. Amount already acknowledged, £95,472/2/4; staff of Bulletin office, weekly donation, £2/6/3; employees of Kameruka Estate, 7th monthly subscription, £30/4/8. Total, £95,504/13/9.

"WAR CHEST."

The hon. treasurer of the Citizens' War Chest Fund, 112 Pitt-street, acknowledges the following further contributions:—Already acknowledged, £10,037/19/9; employees Illawarra and South Coast S.N. Co., £6/16/5; staff Starkey and Starkey, 29th instal., total £98/6/10, £3/5/10; employees Mortlake Gas Works, £3; employees Mortlake Gas Works, 2/6; employees Bon Marche, £2/1/; employees Dalgety and Co., £70/5/5; employees W. J. B. Blackmore and Co., £2/14/6; employees G. Morgan and Co., Ltd., £2/7/9; teachers and pupils Infants' School, North Sydney, £1/10/; employees Col. Sugar Refining Company, Pyrmont, £9/4/5; special donation, A. McClymont, 10/. Total, £10,150/11/7.

Mrs. E. A. Antill, hon. superintendent War Chest Depot, 321 Pitt-street, is desirous of sending another consignment of goods for the soldiers in the trenches on March 20. Mrs. Antill would like all ladies who are knitting socks to return same not later than March 18. Also that there is no more wool at the depot, but as soon as the next supply is on hand notification will be made.

THE BABIES' KIT SOCIETY.

The next shipment of garments for London will leave on March 20, and country branches are asked to send their consignments not later than March 16. These should be clearly addressed to the Babies' Kit Society, Equitable-building, 350 George-street, Sydney, and if coming by rail should be labelled also "Clothing for British and Belgian Infants," to ensure free carriage. The depot is open on Mondays and Thursdays, 10 to 5. The hon. treasurer (Mrs. A. H. Norman) acknowledges the following donations:—The ladies of Longueville and Norwood War Chest, per Mrs. S. Fell, £12/16/11; Toowoomba branch, £5/1/; Girls' Realm Guild, £3/6/; Marie O'Leary, 3½d; Mrs. Prentice, £2/5/; Miss Harwood (collected), £2/2/.

RED CROSS.

All information in regard to ambulance classes may be had upon application to Miss Ella Richards, hon. secretary, on Thursdays, at the Town Hall, or other days at Beechworth, Bay-street, Double Bay. Telephone 1262 Edgecliff. Stamped addressed envelopes must be enclosed with all written inquiries.

APPLE EXPORT.

FEAR OF TASMANIAN GROWERS.

COMMANDEERING SHIPS.

HOBART, Saturday.

A matter of vital moment to growers and exporters of fruit in Tasmania was brought under the notice of the Premier and Treasurer by the president of the Hobart Chamber of Commerce, Mr. A. H. Ashbolt, at a deputation yesterday.

Mr. Ashbolt said: "I have been informed on absolutely unimpeachable evidence that it is the intention to commandeer boats now calling here for fruit, in order to use them for the purpose of loading meat. You can quite see what a serious position will be created for Tasmanian apple-growers if this proposal is carried into effect. You, of course, are well aware of the scarcity in Australian waters of refrigerator tonnage. Every freezing meat works throughout Australia is to-day loaded to the doors with carcases; so much so that I know of many instances where such works have refused to take in further meat of any description. I understand that meat shippers have used every influence to bear upon the Government to consider the commandeering of boats under contract to Tasmanian apple-growers. Instead of the big fleet that we usually have calling for fruit, our boats are cut down by practically half, and instead of exporting one million cases of apples this year, we are only exporting about 400,000 cases, not half of what we exported last year. If these few boats for which arrangements have been to call under contract are commandeered by the British Government, not for trooping purposes, to which we can take little exception, but simply to carry meat on, it is going to be a most serious position for Tasmanian apple-growers. If 400,000 cases are going to be planted on the Australian markets, in the event of the commandeering of ships, it will mean ruin to hundreds of Tasmanian growers, because Australian markets cannot possibly absorb the quantity at decent rates. Our growers are getting their fruit ready for English shipments, and I want you to use every possible endeavour to prevent such monstrous injustice being done to Tasmanian apple shippers. I want to point out that shipments going to England this year are going on behalf of Tasmanian growers. There is practically very little fruit going to England for sale this year from speculators or buyers."

The Premier said: "If these ships are to be handed over for supply of foodstuffs to those who are fighting our battles at the present time, it would be absolutely improper for us to do anything whatever in the direction of interfering. It must be remembered that the defeat of the Allies would make fruit-growing of Tasmania worth very little. If it is absolutely essential that the ships are to be used for the purpose of carrying foodstuffs for the troops we cannot protest. If it is due to those interested in the meat trade the strongest protest on our part will be justified. I can guarantee on behalf of the Government that the protest will be made, and that we will find out, as soon as possible, what is the exact position. Future action will depend upon the result of the inquiries."

CRICKET.

GREATER POPULARITY SOUGHT.

With a view to make the game of cricket more popular, a committee, appointed by the New South Wales Cricket Association to consider the matter, has submitted several recommendations to that body. Among them are the following:—

That the trustees of the Sydney Cricket Ground be asked to give the best boy cricketer in each of the Public schools and the Public high schools a member's ticket for the following year.

That the district clubs be asked to provide scoring boards on the various grounds, showing the names of players and other information, if possible.

That in grade competition matches, except in instances where it is necessary to roll the wicket, the time between the innings be reduced to five minutes.

That the interstate and grade programmes be prepared in June of each year.

That if suitable dates can be arranged, a trial match between the State first and second elevens should take place each season, also one between juniors and colts teams.

That eight balls to the over be given a trial in grade matches next season.

That umpires be instructed to strictly adhere to the rule governing wide balls.

That interstate fixtures should commence at noon on the first day, with luncheon adjournment 1.30 to 2.15, tea adjournment 4 to 4.10, and stumps to be drawn at 6.15 p.m. On subsequent day, play to commence at 11 a.m., the luncheon interval to last from 1 to 1.45, tea adjournment from 4 to 4.10, and stumps to be drawn at 6.15 p.m.

DEATH IN EGYPT.

LISMORE, Sunday.

A private cable from Cairo announces the death of J. Tierney, of the Light Horse. Deceased volunteered from here, and at the time filled a position in the A.M.P. Society. He had been in the district three and a half years, and had been connected with the society for 12 years. His mother resides in Sydney.

GOODS TRAINS COLLIDE.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

A collision between two goods trains occurred at Pomona, on the North Coast line, early this morning. A goods train from Gympie was standing on the main line at Pomona station to meet a goods train from Brisbane. The station is fully signalled and interlocked, but by some means the second train was admitted to the station on the main line instead of into the loop siding. The engines collided; both were damaged, and one was derailed. Five waggons were also derailed and more or less damaged, two others were telescoped, and another had the bogies smashed off. The line was cleared, and traffic resumed this afternoon.

DRY HEAT.

SCORCHING DAY IN THE CITY.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 95.1 degrees, and this was attained at a few minutes to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The day was probably one of the driest experienced in Sydney during recent years. The relative humidity at 3 p.m., with a temperature of 94.1 degrees, was only 14 per cent. At Riverview College the maximum was 96.9 degrees, and with a temperature of 96.8 at 3 p.m. the relative humidity was 15 per cent. Wentworthville, near Parramatta, recorded 98 degrees.

Yesterday was the second very hot day in the metropolitan area so far in the present month. Last Monday 98.8 degrees was registered, which reading almost constituted a record for the month of March, being exceeded only once in 56 years—102.6 was attained on March 3, 1869.

The day opened in the city very warm and dry, and at 9 a.m. the temperature was 82.5, and the relative humidity 23 per cent. From that hour the temperature rose rapidly, till at about 4 p.m., when the maximum was registered, with squally WSW to NW winds. At 9 p.m. it was still hot and close, owing to the change of the wind to the NE. The humidity had risen to 24 per cent., and altogether conditions were worse than when the temperature was at its maximum. This was chiefly due to the change of wind.

A southerly change was working along the South Coast last night. It should reach Sydney early this morning, and do much to reduce the oppressiveness.

DAY BAKING.

OPERATIVE BAKERS' BALLOT.

The ballot taken by the Operative Bakers' Union on the question of day baking was concluded on Saturday, and resulted in a decided majority against night work, even at an advanced rate of wages.

The ballot was taken throughout the County of Cumberland, in which 650 members of the union were entitled to vote. A total of 562 votes was registered, of which 462 went for day work and 100 for night work. In both city and country centres the predominant feeling was for day work. In the city the voting was 383 for day work as against 76 for night work, while in the country centres 79 voted for day work, as against 24 for night work.

When the result was announced, Mr. M'Kenzie, the president of the union, said there was now no doubt about the feeling of the members of the union, and they would be able to go before the masters with a clear-cut issue. A conference with the masters would be held during this week.

FARMERS AS SHIPPERS.

AMBITIOUS SCHEME.

BATHURST, Sunday.

A letter from the secretary of the Murrumburrah branch of the Farmers and Settlers' Association, read at a meeting of the Bathurst branch yesterday, suggested that the present time was opportune to establish a farmers' co-operative shipping company.

"It is hardly necessary to say," the secretary wrote, "that everything points to a very large production of wheat in the future, and if, in addition to shippers or speculators and the millers, who naturally are not too keen in their competition, growers would ship direct to England by a company controlled by themselves, they would have three strings to their bow. That there is money in shipping is shown by the late Mr. John Darling's estate, sworn at over £1,000,000. The intention is to ship wheat and other products on consignment only. This will mean providing storage whilst goods await shipment, and also making advances where required. The new tariff puts over £250,000 a year extra taxation on the farmers."

Brthurst Association decided to support the scheme.

FREETRADE WANTED.

FARMERS' IMPLEMENTS.

BATHURST, Sunday.

A discussion took place at a meeting of the Farmers and Settlers' Association yesterday relative to the effect of the new tariff on farmers.

A statement showed the value of articles used by farmers during 1913 under the old Lyne tariff to be £80,329. Under the Tudor tariff the value was £330,246. The increase of £249,917 was described as "startling." There were increased taxes upon oil, grease, rope, harness, various kinds of engines, tools, and numerous other things which the farmers required in order to use the land.

An open petition was submitted from Mr. T. I. Campbell, general secretary of the F. and S. Association, praying that the Minister for Trade and Customs, Mr. Tudor, might remit the proposed 10 per cent. duty on all jute fabrics imported into the Commonwealth.

Mr. Edgell said it was clear that the farmer's pocket was open to be picked by any stray politician who might dip into it. A farmer should have the full benefit of freetrade with regard to the implements with which he carried on his business. A man should also be encouraged to use the most up-to-date instruments, and adopt the most improved methods.

The president, Mr. H. C. Suttor, remarked that Mr. Campbell's petition mentioned bran sacks, grain sacks, and wool sacks. He suggested that all farmers' tools should be included. Mr. Suttor, as president of the association, and other members signed the petition.

FAREWELL TO THE NIBLOS.

Mr. Fred Niblo and Josephine Cohan (Mrs. Niblo) have been royally entertained at supper at Paris House by the Actors' Association, who invited three kings (Silver Kings!) to meet them at table, namely, the president (Mr. G. S. Titheradge), the secretary (Mr. Walter Bentley), and Mr. Julius Knight. In all some 120 artists and journalists sat down, and during the evening the health of the guests of honour was proposed by Mr. Titheradge, Mr. Hugh Ward, and Mr. Gerald Marr Thompson. The president referred to the strong personality and charm of the American artists, and to Mr. Niblo's wonderful and charitable work at the White City on Actors' Day. Mr. Ward dwelt upon Mr. Niblo's artistic position in America, where he was treasurer of the Actors' Association, and also upon his own acquaintance with the parents and brother (Geo. M. Cohan) of Mrs. Niblo, who came of a fine stock. In reply, Mr. Niblo described with heartfelt appreciation the way in which two strangers had come to Australia on a six months' engagement, and had been welcomed as close friends during a period of three years. They had been associated with the greatest working company in the world bar none, equal to everything from Greek tragedy to Wirth's Circus! The bitterness of parting was sweetened by the hope of return, and in the meanwhile they knew that they would not be forgotten.

NEW CONVENT, DULWICH HILL.

Archbishop Cerretti, Apostolic Delegate to Australasia, on Sunday afternoon opened and blessed the new Convent of the Sisters of St. Joseph, Dulwich Hill. There was a large attendance, including representatives of nearly all the metropolitan parishes. The members of the A.H.C. Guild, the Hibernian A.C.B. Society, and the Irish National Foresters' Society formed a guard of honour to the Archbishop on his arrival.

After the religious ceremonies the Rev. Father Hayden welcomed the Archbishop to his first public function in Australia. The building had cost about £1600, of which £673 was in hand.

Archbishop Cerretti said that since his arrival here he found conclusive proof of the progress of the church and of religious education. He had no doubt that the good work would be continued. He had been referred to as an American citizen—that he was not; but he would readily become an Australian citizen. (Applause).

Mr. H. C. Hoyle (Minister for Railways) moved that a subscription list be opened. He had sometimes been taken to task for addressing Catholic audiences. Whilst he lived he would take his rights as a citizen and a Catholic, and would accept the responsibility. (Applause)

The subscriptions amounted to £202 4s.

THE KAIPARA.

CAPTAIN'S STORY OF THE SINKING.

HIGHFLYER'S REVENGE.

Captain Makepeace, who is in charge of the steamer Middlesex, which arrived from London and Liverpool last night, is making his first voyage to Australia since the steamer Kaipara, of which he held command, was captured and sunk by the German armed merchantman Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse off the African coast, while homeward bound from New Zealand to Avonmouth.

When seen on board the Middlesex on her arrival last night Captain Makepeace was able to supply interesting details of the capture and sinking of his vessel, and of the fate which eventually befel the German raider when the British cruiser Highflyer arrived on the scene.

"We were in latitude 25.10 north, and longitude 17.8 west, when we sighted the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse," said Captain Makepeace. "It was about 7 o'clock in the morning when she signalled to us to stop. I did not stop until she fired a shot across our bows. A prize crew came aboard, and took charge of the ship. The crew of the Kaipara were transferred to the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse in the steamer's boats, and were allowed to take some of their things. I was the last to leave her, and went off in the Germans' boat.

FIRED FIFTY-TWO SHOTS.

"The Germans put a charge of guncotton or some other explosive in the stokehold. They said it was sufficient to blow a hole 12ft square in her side. They fixed a ten-minutes' fuse to it, and everybody left. In addition to this the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse fired no fewer than 52 shots at her before she sank. I did not see her sink myself, but my officers did. They said she settled right down, heeled to port a little, and then the Germans put a shot through every hatch. After this she righted herself again, and then went down bodily. She was nearly three hours in sinking.

"On the same day we fell in with the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's steamer Arlanza. A prize crew went on board this vessel, and after dismantling her wireless let her go. At about 6 p.m. on the same day we met the Elder Dempster liner Nyanza, and she was sunk after the crew were taken aboard.

"We then went in Oura Bay, on the West African Coast, which is under Portuguese protection. The collier Duala arrived next day and started coaling us. We were there for 10 days, and during that time the German colliers Magdeburg, Bethania, and Arucas arrived. The Duala had 1800 tons of coal, the Magdeburg 1500 tons, the Bethania 6000 tons, and the Arucas 1600 tons.

"I was on the deck of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse when the Magdeburg arrived, and said to my chief officer, 'Have you ever seen her before?' Her funnel had been repainted, and her name was painted out, but he replied, without hesitation, 'Yes, she's the German-Australian Company's Magdeburg.' The Germans asked us if we knew the steamer, and we told them we had often seen her in Australia. We afterwards learned that she still had cargo for Australia on board, and her coal was stacked on the hatches and on deck.

ARRIVAL OF THE HIGHFLYER.

"When the Highflyer arrived off Oura Bay I believe she signalled the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse to cease coaling and surrender. The German replied 'German warships never surrender.' The commander then hoisted a German ensign.

"The colliers Bethania and Arucas were on either side of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse at this time. A lieutenant-commander came to us and told us we could go on board the steamer on the port side, as the British cruiser would open fire in a few minutes.

"Almost immediately afterwards the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse opened the engagement and fired the first shot. We got on board the collier Arucas, and while the Highflyer was engaging the armed merchantman the colliers escaped. Several shots from the Highflyer fell near the Arucas, and one passed between the foremost and main mast. As we drew away we saw the port forward gun on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse smashed up and the port side of the bridge blown away. She was on fire aft when we saw her last, and she afterwards sank at her anchorage. We were eventually landed at Las Palmas. Nearly all our effects, which we saved from the Kaipara, were lost on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

"We were treated fairly well while on the German vessel, and received the same food as the Germans themselves. Outwardly the German commander appeared to be a very decent fellow. He came down and shook hands with us all after we were first taken on board the German vessel. We had to be in bed by 8 o'clock every night, and were under an armed guard, but otherwise we could not complain of our treatment. There was a crew of 77 German reservists on the Arucas, 400 on the Bethania, and the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse's total complement was 600.

BOXING.

HARDWICK v. O'DONNELL.

AN EXCITING CONTEST.

At the Stadium, Rushcutter Bay, on Saturday evening, Harold Hardwick, the well-known amateur champion boxer, made his entry into the professional arena in a contest with Les. O'Donnell, a seasoned heavyweight. There was a good attendance. O'Donnell, who was the first to enter the ring, was warmly cheered, and there was a big salvo of applause when the ex-amateur climbed through the ropes. O'Donnell had 5lb advantage in the weight, being 12st 3½lb to 11st 12½lb. Both men were in the pink of condition.

Hardwick lost no time in getting to work, and in the opening round he landed many telling blows. O'Donnell retired to his corner looking the worse for wear and tear. Hardwick continued his strenuous methods in the second round, but some of his blows were wild, and O'Donnell neatly ducked under them. In the third round O'Donnell, who was the aggressor throughout, seemed to get his opponent's measure. Hardwick's onslaughts were fierce, and he sent along an assortment of swings, hooks, and uppercuts that looked decidedly dangerous. In the eight round O'Donnell scored freely with his left, and was still peppering his man about the body. In the ninth round Hardwick let loose in great style, and got home heavily on to O'Donnell, who had all his work cut out to weather through. O'Donnell came up fresh for the tenth, and it was give and take up to the thirteenth, when Hardwick appeared to tire.

Hardwick's display in the fourteenth aroused the spectators to a high pitch of excitement, and he seemed on the point of securing a knock-out again, but O'Donnell's clever defence saved him. From this out Hardwick fell away somewhat. Occasionally he mixed it in a manner that boded mischief for his antagonist, but by the time the eighteenth round was entered upon Hardwick had palpably shot his bolt. In the eighteenth a right to the head was scored by O'Donnell, and he repeated the operation to the ribs. For the last three rounds Hardwick was solely on the defensive, and those brilliant flashes which thrilled the onlookers in the earlier periods were entirely absent. O'Donnell followed him round and round the ring, seeking to administer a knock-out, but Hardwick stalled him off.

The referee, Mr. Harald Baker, awarded the verdict to Hardwick, doubtless on the ground that in the ninth and fourteenth rounds he had gained a decided lead, which was unquestionably the fact. Had, however, O'Donnell received the full measure of compensating points for the fact that he opened every round in Hardwick's corner and forced the fight throughout, and that he had his opponent exhausted in the last three rounds, the declaration of a draw that must have followed would have left little to cavil at.

Hardwick's display was most creditable for a first effort among the professionals. In O'Donnell he had a skilful opponent, who never gave him a moment's rest throughout the fight, and it was most gratifying to Hardwick's friends to see how he rose to the occasion. He showed hitting powers of a high order, together with grit and cleverness. O'Donnell's ring-craft at times had Hardwick hitting wildly, but this was a good fault in one only just winning his spurs. Provided Hardwick develops more stamina he is bound to be a favourite with ring goers, because he has all the necessary qualification to make any match in which he is engaged full of incidents. His dash, backed up by greater solidity, will carry him a considerable distance along the road towards the championship goal.

Hardwick was seconded by his tutor, Arthur Scott, and from first to last used his head well. There is now a proposal afoot to match the winner against Ben Doyle, who is a prominent aspirant for the Australian heavyweight championship, which is now vacant owing to Dave Smith's recent retirement.

NEWTOWN OLYMPIA.

At the Olympia, Newtown, on Saturday two six-round contests were held. In the first Noel Smith beat Young Nelson, and in the second A. King beat Bill Davis. Mr. J. Wallis acted as referee.

Shima, the ju-jitsu expert, offered to beat anyone in five minutes. Tom Moloney and Jack M'Garth accepted the offer, but were unsuccessful.

To-night's contest at the Stadium will be between Eugene Volaire and Jack Clunes, at 8.30. There will be the usual preliminaries.

FORTHCOMING MATCHES.

Mick King, who was to have met Darcy at the Stadium on Saturday next, is ill at Katoomba, and the match has been declared off. Mr. Baker hopes to arrange for Darcy to meet Fritz Holland in place of King, but up till last night this had not been arranged. The winner of the match will be opposed to Jeff Smith on Easter Monday.

On March 20 Frank Loughrey will box the Belgian, Demlen, and on the following Saturday night Walter Coffey, of America, will have as an opponent Kid Lloyd.

As soon as arrangements can be made, O'Donnell will be despatched to Queensland to box Jerome.

ROCHE DISQUALIFIED.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

Jimmy Roche, of America, lost on a foul to George Taylor (Australia) in eight rounds at the Stadium last night.

SWIMMING.

EASTERN SUBURBS AMATEURS.

TWENTYFOURTH ANNUAL CARNIVAL.

There was a good attendance at the 24th annual carnival of the Eastern Suburbs Amateur Club, held at Bronte Baths on Saturday. Principal results:—

66 Yards Bronte Handicap.—J. D. Allingson, 17s, 1; W. Brook, 11s, 2; R. Millingen, 40s, 3. Time, 50 4-5s.

66 Yards Interclub Handicap.—First semi-final: C. Martin (Palace Emporium), 10s, 1; A. Gray (Randwick and Coogee), 6s, 2. Time, 44 2-5s. Second semi-final: G. Brown (Palace Emporium), 6s, 1; W. Lougheed (Eastern Suburbs), 11s, 2. Final: A. Gray (Randwick and Coogee), 1; G. Brown (Palace Emporium), 2; C. Martin (Palace Emporium), 3. Time, 41 4-5s.

500 Yards Teams' District Championship.—Rose Bay Club, 1; Bondi Club, 2; East Sydney Club, 3. Time, 5m 37 2-5s.

Diving.—A. Batchelor (East Sydney), 1; J. Lamping (Eastern Suburbs), 2.

MANLY LADIES' CARNIVAL.

MISS DURACK WINS 220 YARDS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Manly Ladies Amateur Club held their second annual championship carnival at the local baths. In the 220yds championship of New South Wales Miss Fanny Durack lowered her own record of 2m 57s by 1s. Results:—

50yds Club Handicap.—A. Glen, 1; L. Dalton, 2. Time, 36 3-5s.

50yds Inter-club Handicap.—M. Armstrong (Metrop.), 1; D. York (Metrop.), 2; L. Esserman (Metrop.), 3. Time, 35 3-5s.

100yds Club Championship.—A. Styles, 1; N. Kuhl, 2. Time, 1m 26s.

100yds Brace Relay Race.—S. Cambridge, E. Townsend (Metrop.), 1; M. M'Donald, H. Robertson (Metrop.) 2; J. Evans, L. Fitzjohn (Metrop.), 3.

220yds Championship of New South Wales (holder of title, Miss F. Durack).

Miss F. Durack (E. Suburbs)	1
Miss F. Wylie (N. Sydney)	2
Miss M. Winn (Metrop)	3

Time, 2m 56s.

50yds Teams' Relay Race.—Metropolitan No. 4 Team, 1; Metropolitan No. 1 Team, 2; Manly No. 1 Team, 3.

Novelty Four-oar Race.—Metropolitan A Team, 1; Sydney, 2; Manly A, 3.

Inter-club Diving.—N. Kuhl (Manly), 1; D. Shoppee (Metropolitan), 2; N. Henneberry (Sydney), 3.

Men's 150yds Invitation Handicap (Members of Manly Swimming Club).—H. M. Hay, scr, 1; J. Huie, 4s, 2; G. Wyld, 1s, 3. Time, 1m 37 2-5s.

During the afternoon a diving exhibition was given by K. Childers, H. M. Hay, L. Solomon, H. Wann, S. Eve, S. Riddington, R. Davidson, and F. Lough.

SYDNEY AMATEUR CLUB.

Results of events swum at Domain Baths:—

132 Yards Brace Relay Race.—Final: York and Burset, 27s, 1; Duelin and Jolly, 14s, 2; Beck and Blood, 11s, 3. Time, 1m 31 4-5s.

440 Yards Handicap (final to be swum on Wednesday night).—First heat: Beech, 60s, 1; Lyons, 20s, 2; Wooller, 65s, 3. Time, 6m 40s. Second heat: Thomas, scr, 1; Hickson, 44s, 2; Gunther, 58s, 3. Time, 5m 54s. Third heat: M'Alister, 35s, 1; Morris, 60s, 2; Douglas, 46s, 3. Time, 6m 35s.

SYDNEY LADIES' CLUB.

Results of point score races swum at Rushcutter Bay Baths:—

100 Yards Handicap.—Miss B. Lovelace, scr, 1; Miss V. Grover, scr, 2; Miss H. Bertram, 9s, 2. Time, 1m 30s.

50 Yards Handicap.—Miss E. Hughes, 20s, 1; Miss M. Wood, 15s, and Miss M. St. Louis, dead heat, 2.

50 Yards Breast-stroke Handicap.—Miss M. Warren, 19s, 1; Miss B. Lovelace, 5s, 2; Miss E. Sprott, 11s, 3.

25 Yards Junior Race.—Miss D. O'Connell, 6s, 1; Miss E. Hughes, scr, 2; Miss A. Brophy, 8s, 3.

Diving.—Miss V. Grover, 1; Miss B. Lovelace, 2; Miss M. St. Louis, 3.

METROPOLITAN LADIES' CLUB.

Results of trophy races swum at Domain Ladies' Baths:—

100 Yards Handicap.—Final: Miss S. Cambridge, 1; Miss E. Townsend, 2; Miss M. Winn, 3.

50 Yards Handicap.—Final: Miss E. Roberts, 1; Miss G. Greene, 2; Miss E. M'Ivor, 3.

66 Yards Back and Breast Stroke Handicap.—A grade: Miss N. Winn, 1; Miss R. Esserman, 2; Miss H. Robertson, 3. B grade: Miss D. Shoppee, 1; Miss E. Townsend, 2; Miss E. M'Ivor, 3.

Diving.—Miss E. Roberts and Miss S. Cambridge, dead heat, 1; Miss C. Head, 2; Miss R. Esserman, 3.

DRUMMOYNE AMATEUR CLUB.

The Drummoyne Amateur Swimming Club held a 200yds handicap at the local municipal baths on Saturday afternoon. Result of final heat: A. Kelly 15s, 1; T. Whitton, 25s, 2; W. Martin, 15s, 3. Time, 2m 38s.

PYRMONT AMATEUR CLUB.

The Pyrmont Amateur Club held a 880yds handicap at the local municipal baths on Saturday afternoon. Result: J. Condon, scr, 1; Z. Osborne, 180s, 2; A. Anderson, 70s, 3. Time, 12m 35s.

RECHABITE AMATEUR CLUB.

The Rechabite Amateur Club held a 66yds handicap on Saturday afternoon. Result of final: J. Lewis, 12s, 1; A. Towson, 18s, 2; F. Lamond, 14s, 3. Time, 49 3-5s.

MANLY CLUB.

The Manly Club decided a 100yds brace relay race, run in seven heats. Result of final: J. Stewart and D. M'Mahon, 22s, 1; N. M'Mullen and K. Childers, 11s, 2; J. Huie and J. Gosper, 3. Time, 1m 45s.

ST. GEORGE AMATEUR CLUB.

The above club contested a 50yds handicap at the Brighton Baths on Saturday. Result final heat: D. Whitehurst, 4s, 1; R. Gillespie, 10s, 2; C. Bochag, 6s, 3. Time, 28 3-5s.

The Bondi Sports will hold their annual swimming gala at the Bronte baths to-morrow.

SAILING.

WIN FOR MISSISSIPPI.

A fresh north-easter blew on the harbour on Saturday afternoon, when second suits were mostly in evidence. The breeze eased off during the afternoon, but the races finished in good time. Results:—

SYDNEY SAILING CLUB.

18ft Handicap.

Mississippi (P. Harry), 5½m, £12	1
Nimrod (W. J. Duncan), scr., £8	2
Australian (C. Webb), scr, £6	3
Mavis (F. W. Moppett), 2m, £4	4
Advance (H. E. Thompson), 6m, £3	5
Sydney (N. W. Blackman), 4½m, £2	6

PORT JACKSON SKIFF CLUB.

Eclipse (F. Matthews), 8m	1
Murcia (G. Rickwood), 2½m	2
Minoru (P. Renouf), 4m	3
Daphne (A. Hurst), 7m	4

Won by 5s, with 3s between second and third, 15s separating third and fourth.

BALMAIN AMATEUR CLUB.

General Handicap.

Irex (E. Kennedy), 5m	1
Ubique (Lieut. Meredith), 9m	2
Allan (B. Burns), 25m	3

Won by 1m 37s, with 38s between second and third. Then came Torres, Kismet, Tasman, Orthona, Derwent, and Merlin. Irex wins Mr. A. V. Marshall's trophy.

CREMORNE CLUB.

General Handicap.

Kestrel (A. R. Marshall), 2m	1
Viking (J. Muston), scr.	2
Little Wings (A. J. Muston), 2m	3

Won by ¼m, with 3¼m between second and third.

DOUBLE BAY CLUB.

Robertson Trophy—First Event.

Spray (L. Robertson), 7m	1
Kito (W. Eyres), scr	2
Ted (E. Barnes), 8m	3

Won by 10s, with 20s between second and third.

ST. GEORGE CLUB.

Skiff Handicap—Rockdale Alderman's Cup.

Olympic II. (B. Parr), 5m	1
Truant (W. M'Cloud), scr	2
Dearing (E. Talbot), 7m	3

Won by two minutes. Other starters were: Thrush (G. Gannon), scr; Dotsie (H. Shambler), 2m; Bernie (F. Clark), 6½m; Queenie (C. Green), 8m; Myth (H. Powell), 10m.

14ft Handicap—Martin Trophy.

Sydney (S. Anderson), 7m	1
Jessie (W. Kennedy), 3½m	2
Aussie (G. Witchard), scr	3

Won easily.

NOTES ON THE RACING.

Mississippi, well handled by P. Harry, gave the 18-footers another taste of her speed qualities in the Sydney Club's handicap, and her win was as well merited as it was decisive. She went to the front on the work to the Sow and Pigs Light, and was not afterwards troubled.

Quibree, Sunny South, and one or two others were late in starting, while Tom Tait, although about, did not cross the line for some reason or other. Soon after starting, Scot's throat halyards carried away, and she dropped out. Boronia's peak halyards afterwards carried away, and she also was forced to retire.

Chief interest during the long work down the harbour was centred in the scratch boats, and Nimrod did best, mainly through sticking more to the western shore than Australian and Kismet.

Eagle, the limit boat, maintained the lead well down the harbour, but Mississippi took charge before reaching the Sow and Pigs, where she eased away 4ls ahead of Swastika, which, in turn, had 17s in hand from Mona. Then followed Eagle, Advance, Moyana, Sunny South, Sydney, Nimrod, Evelyn, Golding, H. C. Press, Enid, Australian, Kismet, Pastime, Acme, Mavis, Arline, and Quibree.

Running up to Shark Island Swastika was displaced by Mona and Advance; while Sunny South and Nimrod improved their positions, the latter being 2m 28s behind the leader. Kismet's for'ard hands here experienced trouble in stowing the spinnaker, the extra getting overboard, and keeping her back.

By smartly opening a ballooner, Mississippi increased her lead on the journey to Clark Island, and hauled a wind 58s ahead of Advance, which was closely followed by Mona. Nimrod, which was thought to be the only boat with a possible chance of challenging the leader over the remainder of the course, failed to make the most of her extras racing to this mark, and to make matters worse, she was "blanketted" by Sydney, Sunny South, Moyana, and Mavis on flattening sheets here. H. C. Press capsized midway between the two islands, while several of the others retired at this mark.

Mississippi sailed a great boat working to Taylor Bay, and although Nimrod assumed second place, she had no chance, under ordinary circumstances, of overhauling the leader, 1m 43s separating them at the rounding mark. Australian also considerably improved her position, and was only 16s behind Nimrod at the mark, Advance being next, followed by Moyana, Sydney, Mavis, Kismet, Pastime, and Swastika. Mona retired close to the mark, thus following the example of Arline and Golding, the latter having met with a mishap.

The positions remained much the same on the lead to Shark Island, but Mavis passed Sydney and Moyana, and eventually beat Advance home for fourth. Mississippi won by 1¼m, with 24s between Nimrod and Australian, ¼m between Australian and Mavis, 4s between Mavis and Advance, and 35s between the latter and Sydney. Then came Moyana, Kismet, Pastime, Swastika.

MEXICO.

ALL THE DIPLOMATS LEAVING.

A CRITICAL SITUATION.

WASHINGTON, March

The entire foreign diplomatic cor[illegible] cided to leave Mexico City, owing to the extremely critical nature of the politic[illegible] tion.

The precise reasons for the action of the diplomats are unknown.

SPORT ABROAD.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

LONDON, March 6.

The following are the results of to-day's League games:—Tottenham Hotspur and Liverpool drew, 1 goal each; Manchester City beat Sunderland, 2-0; West Bromwich Albion and Blackburn Rovers played a scoreless draw; Sheffield Wednesday and Notts County played a scoreless draw; Burnley beat Bradford, 2-0.

The Cup Tie matches resulted as follows:—Bolton Wanderers beat Hull City, 4-2; Everton beat Bradford City, 2-0; Chelsea and Newcastle drew, 1-1; Oldham Athletic and Sheffield United played a scoreless draw.

ENGLISH BILLIARDS.

BIG BREAK BY GRAY.

LONDON, March 6.

Playing against Falkiner, George Gray made a break of 1016.

DEATH OF LORD CADOGAN.

LONDON, March 6.

The death is announced of Earl Cadogan, in his 75th year.

Earl Cadogan, a grandnephew of the first Duke of Wellington, sat in the House of Commons as member for Bath till his father's death, when he took his seat in the House of Lords. He was Under-Secretary for War in 1875, Under-Secretary for the Colonies from 1878 till 1880, Lord Privy Seal from 1886 till 1892, and Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland from 1895 till 1902. The heir to the earldom is Viscount Chelsea.

FIRE ON A STEAMER.

OUTBREAK AT SEA.

The cargo steamer Canadian Transport, a vessel of 4139 tons, owned by Messrs. Houlder Bros., and bound from Melbourne to Ocean Island, put into Sydney on Saturday with her bunkers on fire.

The outbreak was discovered on Friday morning by one of the officers when the steamer was off Gabo Island, and all openings were immediately battened down. The vessel then headed for Sydney.

On arrival the vessel was anchored in Neutral Bay, and under the supervision of Captain Davies, the fire floats Pluvius and Hydra were soon hard at work fighting the flames. By half-past 9 the outbreak had been subdued.

LATE SHIPPING.

PASSENGERS BY R.M.S. NIAGARA.

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

The R.M.S. Niagara arrived at 3.30 this afternoon. The following are included in the passengers:—Misses Oswald, Little; Prof., Mrs., and Miss Irvine; Misses Jamieson, Buckland; Mr., Mrs. and Misses Gillette; Miss Matthews, Mrs. Cameron and boy, Major Sir Hamilton Gould Adams, Lady Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jens, Captain and Mrs. Head and infant, Messrs. Dyke, Limberg, Lightfoot, Johnson, Long, Godfree, Farrell, Hughes, de Vis Norton, Mrs. and Miss Noyes, Messrs. Spooner, Dixon, Taylor, Marshall, Thompson, Cochrane, George, Shardlow, Kestrange, Mr., Mrs. and Misses (2) Gurney, Mr. and Mrs. F. Evans and family, Messrs. Miller, Jackman, Head, Simmers, Travers, Travers, Irvine, Whalley, Friend, Gurney, Mr. and Mrs. Quick and family, Messrs. McGee, Campbell, Billington, Gresson, Hammond, Parr (2), Macpherson (2), Ewen, Ritchie, Kerr, Cochrane, Hamilton, Francis, Matias, Markland, Mesdames Gee, Long, Godfree, Farvell, de Vis Norton, Jarvis, Spenser (3 children), Friend, Irvine, Travers and infant, Simmers, Misses Jarvis, Stephens, Laker, Retseisen, Master Simmers.

TELEGRAPHIC.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: March 6, Hunter, s., Archer, s., Pelaw-Main, s., [illegible], Queen Bee, s., Coolebar, s., Commonwealth, s., Yambacoona, s., Sphene, s., Lubra, s., [illegible], Kadina, s., Koonya, s., Cavan, sch., from Sydney; Ernest Reyer, French bq., from Adelaide; [illegible], s., from Brisbane. March 7, Netherpark, s., from Brisbane; Newcastle, s., Helen Nicoll, s., from Sydney. Dep: March 6, Coluss, s., for United Kingdom, via Melbourne; Chillagoe, s., for Rockhampton; [illegible], s., for New Zealand; Kapunda, s., Queen Bee, s., Yambacoona, s., Pelaw-Main, s., Commonwealth, s., [illegible], s., Hunter, s., Lubra, s., Myola, s., Cavan, schr., for Sydney; Coolebar, s., for the Tweed; Coramba, s., for the Clarence; Tintenbar, s., for the Richmond. March 7, Orteric, s., for Calcutta, via Melbourne; Dauntless, s., for Port Stephens; Korunnah, ketch, for Lake Macquarie.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY (426m).—Inward: March 7, Clan Davidson, s., 1.40 a.m., Moorabool, s., 1.50 a.m., Ashridge, s., 3.30 a.m., Era, s., 3.35 a.m., Rackness, s., 9.40 a.m., Wollowra, s., 1.30 p.m. Outward: March 7, Moonah, s., 2.10 a.m., Warilda, s., 3.5 a.m., Kwanto Maru, s., 6.30 a.m., Ada Burgess, ketch, 8.40 a.m., Kanowna, s., 11 a.m., Age, s., 12.55 p.m., Dilkera, s., 1.40 p.m.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: March 6, Warilda, s., from Fremantle; Benalla, s., from London; Houtman, s., from Batavia; Port Albany, s., from Sydney; [illegible], s., from Adelaide; Wiltshire, s., from London; [illegible], s., from Bellinger River; Koomeela, s., from King Island. March 7, Loongana, s., from Launceston; Oonah, s., from Burnie; Nestor, s., from Glasgow; Era, s., from Newcastle; Wollowra, s., Moorabool, s., Clan Davidson, s., from Sydney. Dep: March 6, Anchises, s., for London; Maruwah, s., for Stanley; Kanowna, s., for Sydney; Warilda, s., for Sydney; Wimmera, s., for Hobart; Brisbane, s., for Adelaide; Barwon, s., for Sydney; English Monarch, s., for Sydney. March 7, Hurst, s., for Newcastle.

ADELAIDE (1084m).—Arr: March 7, Karoola, s., from Fremantle. Dep: March 6, Chindwara, s., for eastern States; Indarra, s., for Fremantle.

ALBANY (2100m).—Dep: March 7, Zealandia, s., for eastern States.

FREMANTLE (2466m).—Arr: March 7, Dimboola, s., from eastern States; Paroo, s., from Singapore. Dep: March 6, Zealandia, s., for eastern States. March 7, Hector, s., for London.

NEW ZEALAND.

TIMARU (1318m).—Arr: March 7, Kauri, s., from Newcastle.

AUCKLAND (1281m).—Arr: March 7, Mahens, s., from Sydney; Niagara, R.M.S., from Vancouver.

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TO-DAY.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "High Jinks," 7.50.
Theatre Royal: "The Silver King," 8.
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Adelphi Theatre: "Lady Godiva," 8.
Spencer's Lyceum: 11 to 11.
Zoological Gardens: 9.30 to 5.30.
Lyric Theatre: 11 to 11.
Empress Theatre: 11 to 11.
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Glaciarium: West's Pictures, 8.
Olympia: Pictures, 8.
Crystal Palace, George-street: 11 to 11.
The Dandies: Eden Gardens, Manly, 8.
Alhambra Theatre: Pictures, 8.
White City: 7.30 to 11.
Wyong Park Pony Races: First Race, 1.30.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

The usual week-end quietness prevailed on [illegible] Saturday, and only a moderate [illegible] transactions were recorded, at [illegible] showed a slight upward tendency.

Variations on previous rates were:—

RISE.

Australian Bank of Commerce shares	/6
I.O.A. Insurance	/1

The following sales were reported:—Bank of Australasia, £121; Australian Gas, "C," £6/15/; Australian Bank of Commerce shares (prompt delivery), 14/4; I.O.A. Insurance, 4/; Australian Gas, "A," £8/15/; Aarons' Exchange Hotel, 7/6; Greater J. D. Williams, six weeks, 13/6; Paul and Gray, 24/6; Perdriau, 35/3; Castlemaine Brewery and Woods Bros., 17/3.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The following sales were reported to-day:—Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance, 42/6; Melbourne Electric, consol stock, 39/6; Silverton Tram, £5.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

There were no sales on 'Change to-day.

FINANCIAL.

N. Y. K.

The half-yearly report of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, covering the six months ended September 30, states that gross profits for the half-year amounted to £479,878, out of which there have been deducted depreciation of fleet and property, £115,202; insurance fund, £47,020; ships' structural repair fund, £76(280; including leaving a balance of £324,827, including £97,462 brought forward. The directors now propose that this surplus be appropriated as follows:—Reserve fund, £11,368; fund for the extension of services and improvement of the fleet, £30,000; reserve for construction and repairs of buildings, £50,000; special reserve, £30,000. The directors further propose that £11,000 be allowed as directors' and auditors' fees, and recommend a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, which will absorb £110,000, leaving a balance of £82,489 to be carried forward.

THE PRICE OF METALS.

The table that follows gives the yearly average prices of the chief industrial metals for the past quarter of a century.

Date.	Copper. £ s d	Tin. £ s d	Lead. £ s d	Spelter. £ s d
1890	54 5 3	94 3 6	13 7 10	23 4 6
1891	51 9 4	91 3 0	12 8 8	23 4 6
1892	45 11 2	93 6 8	10 14 10	20 16 6
1893	43 15 6	85 7 7	9 18 6	17 8 0
1894	40 7 4	68 14 2	9 11 6	15 9 2
1895	42 19 7	68 7 1	10 12 5	14 12 2
1896	46 18 1	59 9 11	11 5 11	16 11 10
1897	49 2 7	61 8 0	12 8 4	17 9 10
1898	51 16 7	71 4 1	13 1 10	20 8 9
1899	73 13 9	122 8 7	15 1 6	24 17 2
1900	73 12 6	133 11 6	17 3 7	20 5 6
1901	66 19 8	118 12 6	12 14 1	17 0 7
1902	52 11 5	120 14 6	11 5 3	18 10 11
1903	58 3 2	127 6 5	11 14 9	20 19 5
1904	59 0 6	126 14 8	11 19 8	22 11 10
1905	69 12 0	143 1 8	13 14 5	25 7 7
1906	87 8 6	180 12 11	17 7 0	27 1 5
1907	87 1 8	172 12 9	19 1 11	27 16 9
1908	60 0 6	133 2 6	13 10 5	20 3 5¼
1909	58 17 3	134 15 6	13 1 8	22 3 0
1910	57 3 2	155 6 2	12 19 0	23 0 0
1911	56 1 9	192 7 0¼	15 19 2¼	25 3 2
1912	73 1 2	209 7 6	17 18 10	26 3 4
1913	68 5 0	201 15 0	18 6 2	22 14 3
1914	50 8 11	156 12 6	18 13 9	23 6 11
To-day	63 12 6	184 5 0	20 6 3	44 10 0

PAUL AND GRAY, LTD.

The report of the above company covers the 12 months ended December 31 last. It shows a net profit of £13,416, which with £1349 brought forward made £14,765 available. An interim dividend of 1/ per share, paid on June 30, absorbed £5580, and a further dividend of like amount is now proposed, absorbing £6000, while £1377 is being added to the reserve fund, £1000 carried to the reserve for the equalisation of dividends, and £808 is carried forward. During the year the remaining shares of the last issue of 40,000 were disposed of, and the paid-up capital now stands at £120,000. The following comparison may be made:—

	Year ended Dec. 31, 1912.	1913.	1914.
Net profits	£12,877	£13,047	£13,416
Dividend, per cent.	10	10	10
Amount of dividend	8,000	9,221	11,580
To reserve	2,420	2,000	1,377
To equalisation of divs.	2,000	1,000	1,000
Carried forward	908	1,349	808
LIABILITIES—			
Capital paid up	80,000	111,000	120,000
Sundry creditors, etc.	55,904	49,938	42,182
Assignment accounts	2,472	3,433	3,047
Marine insurance fund	630	718	756
Reserve fund	7,570*	10,030	†12,122
ASSETS—			
Property	21,475	21,475	24,575
Plant, etc.	2,791	4,680	4,300
Stock-in-trade	95,673	121,664	118,249
Stock on consignment	2,472	3,433	3,043
Sundry debtors	29,951	33,515	37,130
Bills receivable	2,000	1,804	1,678
Bank insurance account	630	218	255
Cash in hand	841	279	834

* Includes £1320 premium on new shares. † Includes £122 premium on new shares.

INTEREST AND RENT.

"Incensed" writes:—

Sir,—Being in business, and finding shop rent periodically rising, I decided that it would be better to pay interest rather than rent, and thus obtain security of tenure. I purchased a shop, which I now occupy, raising the bulk of the money by mortgaging the property. Now I am surprised to find that the commissioners refuse to allow the interest paid on the mortgage of purely business premises, which is clearly the equivalent of rent, being deducted from income. Thus I am treated as though I were the absolute owner of the property, instead of being, unfortunately, only the nominal owner. Perhaps you would be good enough to enlighten me as to whether such an obviously legitimate charge against income is correctly disallowed. If I were to let the shop, and rent another for my business, I could deduct both the interest on mortgage and rent from income. A person owning his residence does not have to add the rental value to income, as he should do. It is the glaring injustice of making one man pay double, while another, who may be financially stronger, escapes scot free, that makes this tax, administered as it is in a most autocratic spirit, so repugnant.

On the facts given it would seem that the interest should have been allowed as a deduction.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Imports into the Commonwealth in January were valued at £5,928,730, against £7,040,269 in the previous year.

The exports during January totalled £4,536,743, against £8,654,681.

Export of gold in February was: Coined, £15,309 and uncoined £15,269.

In two months the export was: Gold, coined, £46,631; uncoined, £25,544.

Export of silver in February was £32,091, and in two months, £42,007.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

NATIONAL MORTGAGE OF NEW ZEALAND.

LONDON, March 6.

The National Mortgage Company of New Zealand is issuing £606,000 of debentures.

FROZEN MEAT.

WEDDEL'S ANNUAL REVIEW.

The past year, unparalleled in almost every experience of national life, was inevitably a time of severe strain in all departments of mercantile affairs. Weddel and Co.'s annual review of the meat trade says that: "A trade so vast in its ramifications, and yet, comparatively speaking, so young, as the frozen meat trade, not only had to meet difficulties intrinsically greater than those of most other importing industries, but had to do so with no previous experience of war conditions to guide it, except such as may have been gained during the Boer war. The successful manner in which it has emerged from this first great testing time speaks well for the soundness of the foundations upon which it has been raised, and for the foresight and energy which were applied to the solution of all its pressing problems. In face of hostile operations on every one of the long ocean routes by which the supplies reach the United Kingdom, despite the temporary withdrawal of many of the largest refrigerating steamers from the trade, for transport purposes, notwithstanding the financial crisis in South America, which, for a time, was more threatening even than the war risks of the voyage; in spite of the temporary unsettlement of trading values at the outbreak of the war, and the sudden diversion of stocks into entirely new channels of distribution, the frozen meat trade as a whole kept on its way triumphantly; and, at the close of the year, was in a remarkably sound position, and enjoying, moreover, an outlook still more promising than that which characterised the close of 1913. Traders will readily admit that the successful tackling of these many serious problems was only rendered possible by the action of the Government in recognising the vital importance to the nation of maintaining the supply of all imported foodstuffs. They took steps to deal effectively with shipping and financial difficulties, which would have been beyond the power of private traders to grapple with unaided.

The generally satisfactory nature of the past year's operations under these special circumstances is evidenced alike in the volume of importations and in the range of prices. The total receipts of all kinds of frozen and chilled meats in 1914 amounted to 694,465 tons, as against 720,661 tons in 1913. The import valuations of these quantities according to Board of Trade returns were £29,960,642 for 1914, and £26,662,896 for 1913. In other words, quantities decreased by only 3.6 per cent., while values increased by 12.4 per cent. variations which have been equalled in importance in the course of some quite normal years.

One of the least gratifying features in the whole position is the large extent to which the United Kingdom is dependent upon American interests for its supplies of imported beef, these being so vital for the maintenance of the people, and especially for the provisioning of the army in time of war. Out of 200,875 tons of frozen beef imported, only 101,440 tons were produced within the British Empire; and of the 95,638 tons brought from South America, fully half came from the works operated by three North American owned companies. In the case of chilled beef, the position is still worse; because, out of 241,090 tons imported into the United Kingdom, no fewer than 160,160 tons, or 66 per cent., came from these same works.

Important as supplies of foreign meat may be to the British public, it is well to bear in mind that more than 60 per cent. of the beef, mutton, and lamb consumed in the United Kingdom is still produced in the British Isles. While in 1895 the home production was estimated at 1,035,820 tons, as against 1,115,560 tons in 1914, the imported supplies increased from 380,881 tons to 703,017 tons in the same interval. The composition of the imported part of the total supply has, however, undergone many changes in these twenty years. The North American chilled beef and live cattle of 1895 have given place entirely to South American chilled beef: and frozen meats from British oversea Dominions have increased from 109,106 tons to 286,609 tons. Through all these changes the home supply remains steadfast, dependable, predominant.

EXPORT OF HIDES.

THE AMERICAN TRADE.

Exporter writes:—

In the "Shoe and Leather Reporter," dated January 14, 1915, published in Boston, U.S.A., is the report of a speech on the upper leather situation, by Mr. Charles P. Hall, vice-president American Hide and Leather Co., Boston. Mr. Hall says:—

"What of the future? For the future you and I would like to know some reliable prophet who could give us a forecast of what is to come. But to look accurately ahead we must know a few important things, such as how long the European war will last; and while it lasts, how we can get along without importations of hides and skins from our former principal sources of supply, such as the East Indies, Russia, Germany, France, and the United Kingdom?

"In this connection we will quote the figures of imports for the year ended June 30, 1914, imports which are now almost entirely eliminated:—

Imports Affected by War.

Russia, furnished us	11,911,800 dollars.
Germany, furnished us	6,241,452 dollars.
France, furnished us	8,042,385 dollars.
United Kingdom, furnished us	8,116,606 dollars.
East Indies, furnished us	8,449,822 dollars.
Total	40,702,125 dollars.

"Adding to this the other countries vitally affected by the war, we could safely estimate that over fifty million dollars per annum worth of raw supplies are prohibited from our tanners."

In view of the above figures, we can readily understand the reason for the Americans buying more freely in the Australian markets than formerly, in order to make good the shortage of supplies received from other countries.

It is well known that the United States are supplying England and the Allies with enormous quantities of manufactured goods, and if the blockade of German ports by the British navy is as effective as we think it is, Germany will not be able to get material from U.S.A. On account of the embargo exporters have had to discharge about 75 per cent. of their employees, and it is galling to see hides which cannot be used locally being passed in by salesmen without a bid being made, which would find a ready market overseas. Australia can do with Yankee money at the present time, as it would mean more employment, and higher prices to farmers, pastoralists, butchers, and others. Wool is now allowed to be exported, and surely some satisfactory guarantees can be established which will enable business to be done with old customers in U.S.A., as formerly.

A TANNER'S VIEW.

John Bunce and Sons write:—

Sir,—Being tanners, and a part of the community dubbed by "Patriot" as a "small section, selfish and unpatriotic," we would endeavour to show that "Patriot" is absolutely wrong, and that his expressed views do not coincide with the conditions prevailing in the trade at the present, nor has he, to our minds, any knowledge of the conditions of export. He admits the extreme price of hides will not tempt tanners to increase their turnover, and might it be said that the "extreme" prices were caused by the frenzied rush of shippers in exporting all quality hides out of the country. The tanners of Australia recognised that their industries here were likely to become paralysed; and, to allow them to carry on, their representatives approached the Minister, asking that the export be "restricted." I trust "Patriot" can distinguish the meaning between restricted and prohibition), as it looked as if the high prices was caused by an abnormal demand setting in from the representatives of a country which at present enjoys the privilege of a neutral. It appeared as if "Neutral" could speculate on the enemy countries requiring leather at any price, and the Minister evidently saw the point expressed, for he immediately restricted export except with his consent. This restriction now applies to leather as well as hides, and as tanners trading with London we have nothing to fear. If "Patriot" knows the meaning of the word we think he should withdraw his remarks, as they seem to give one the impression that "Patriot" wears imported boots. As to our trade being a small section of the Australian manufactures, I think that the wages sheet of the tanning industry, compared with that of the hide exporters for any one year, would be very interesting to "Patriot." In the past we have been so much at the mercy of the shippers that the trade has suffered considerably, and some of our most modern and up-to-date yards are idle. There are two yards in New South Wales which have been idle for the past two years, the same yards having a tanning capacity of 1500 hides per week—surely a shocking state of affairs for a country, which supplies the hide markets of the world.

"Patriot" need have no fear that hides will ever fall to 3d per lb, that is, judging from the fact that the present price of a medium hide, say, 50lb in weight, costs the tanner 38s. "Justice" also in the same issue, draws attention to the buyers "picking" the catalogue at the last sales, and we think that there is no reason why the whole catalogues should not be comprised of the better class hides, as 20lb of salt and ordinary cleanliness will cure a hide sufficiently for the tanners' requirements. Surely he does not expect us to buy the second-class hides, and leave the best for export, for we can assure him it is no use tanners trying to make superior leather out of faulty hides, and as a firm which caters largely for the Sydney boot manufacturers that it is no use offering them inferior leather; they will have nothing but the best. We would also draw his attention to the Commonwealth statistics as regards hide values, the same showing a loss of £60,000 per annum through faulty brands and bad flaying, and the position is no better to-day. Surely growers who will not exert themselves to improve their hides are not entitled to the sympathy of "Justice" who complains. For the past few years the tanners in Germany and America have had practically a monopoly of the English market, a position which the Australian tanners might surely covet, and we think that the slightest encouragement held out to them will in the course of a few years tend to bring the tanning industry into greater prominence in the manufactures of Australia.

PRICE OF BUTTER.

A SOUND SUGGESTION.

"I was pleased to see it officially stated in Tuesday's 'Herald' that the New South Wales Northern Rivers Branch of the Dairy Factories' Association accept the London market price as a basis for the price of butter in Sydney, and that Sydney prices mean London prices, less the difference in expenses," writes Mr. H. Scrimshaw, president Dalley Federal Council. "If the co-operative officials are not hypocrites, who are out merely for bluff, what objection can they have to one of themselves and a representative of the Government jointly stating what this price shall be from day to day in New South Wales, and so do away with all speculative holding up of butter? Sooner or later something of this kind must be adopted, and I claim the sooner the better for both producer and consumer alike, and seeing the largest butter producing country in the world (Denmark) adopted this course years ago with success. I ask, what objection can the dairying industry here have to the local price being fixed on this basis all the year round, thereby giving consumers a fair economic deal?"

"PRODUCER" ON VELVET.

"Observer" writes:—

Sir,—Will you allow me to point out that the recent reduction of 4/ per cwt has been one in name only to the householder, as I am paying the same price per lb now as was charged previously. Evidently the retailer will not reduce the price unless there is a reduction of at least 5/ per cwt, and at present he simply pockets the 4/ as extra profit.

As regards the producer, I maintain that he "stands on velvet," and the money in the game is amply evidenced by the wonderful prosperity of the dairying districts. I have an intimate knowledge of the dairying industry on the Clarence, Richmond, and Tweed rivers, and can confidently assert that as a class the dairy-farmers are the most prosperous in the State. Many of them obtain returns that would turn the highly-trained and expensively-educated professional men green with envy. I spent six years on those rivers, and I know.

As the father of a numerous family, I wish to tender you my best thanks for your vigorous campaign against unduly high prices.

WORLD'S GOLD PRODUCTION

LATEST RETURNS.

The Commonwealth Statistician (Mr. G. H. Knibbs) has just completed his annual compilation of statistics of the world's gold production. The data for this compilation have been collected at first-hand from all the principal gold-producing countries, and represent the quantity and value of gold produced for the year 1913, the total quantity being 21,868,672 fine ounces, and the total value £93,401,588. These results, which are the lowest for any year since 1909, suggest the likelihood of a turning point having been reached in the world's output of gold, which, since the temporary set-back occasioned in 1900 by the war in South Africa, has grown at a remarkable rate.

The value of the world's gold production for the 17 years ending 1913, expressed to the nearest million of pounds, is as follows:—

Year.	Value in millions of pounds sterling	Year.	Value in millions of pounds sterling
1897	49	1906	83
1898	59	1907	85
1899	63	1908	91
1900	52	1909	93
1901	54	1910	94
1902	61	1911	95
1903	67	1912	95
1904	71	1913	93
1905	77		

The principal features of this record of production are:—(1) The result of the South African War is shown by the diminished figures for 1900 and 1901, and to some extent 1902 also; (2) the rapid rate of increase in the annual production from 1902 to 1908, viz., thirty millions in six years; (3) the retardment in the rate of increase from 1908 to 1911, when an advance of four millions was recorded in three years; and (4) finally the cessation of increase and the downward tendency shown by the figures for 1912 and 1913. The production of gold plays an important though imperfectly analysed part in the determination of the prices of commodities in general, and a reduction in the world's output may have far-reaching economic effects, quite apart from those connected with the gold-mining industry itself.

COMMERCIAL.

ADVANCE IN BARBED WIRE.

An advance of £1 has been made in barbed wire. Rates of principal lines now are:—12 gauge, close set, £18 per ton; long set, £18/5/; 14 gauge, £19/10/, £19/15/; special, 12½ gauge, £19/17/6, £20/2/6; 14 gauge, £21/7/6, £21/12/6.

COMMONWEALTH BUTTER MARKETS.

Prescott, Ltd., write concerning the butter markets of the Commonwealth as follows:—

Sydney.—There has been an improved tone in this week's market, on account of the better inquiry from Melbourne, and a slight falling-off in arrivals. There is still a fair quantity of butter being cold stored, pending shipment. First grade is quoted at 116/; seconds are dull of sale from 100/ to 105/ per cwt. Shipments for the week ended February 27 total 1301 boxes.

Melbourne.—Supplies have fallen off very rapidly during the past fortnight, and there is a considerable gap, which has to be filled by importations from New South Wales and Queensland. Quotations remain unchanged for westerns at 1/2. Interstate brands range from 12¾d to 1/1¼, the former rate being quoted by a well-known New South Wales factory. Arrivals ("Argus" figures) for the week ended February 26 total 9900 boxes butter and 44 tons of cream.

Brisbane.—The market has been maintained at 120/, but only a few special brands which are in demand for interstate and local requirements are being placed at this figure. The balance is being stored pending shipment, and the freezing works are experiencing difficulty in coping with all that is available. Production does not show any falling-off.

THE COURSE OF TRADE.

It is very difficult to say whether trade is as good as the number of transactions would seem to indicate. The real test is the quantity of goods going into consumption. But just at present there is buying proceeding among the city houses as well as among metropolitan retailers and country storekeepers with the object of discounting rises which it is believed are inevitable. Thus goods are not going into consumption, but are being turned over and again turned over, each time at an increased rate. It is known that in many lines, owing to the falling off in freight, there will be a scarcity, and the distributers and retailers are scrambling for what stocks are on spot or those goods which are certain to arrive. Imported groceries, heavy metal manufactures, and shelf goods, and in oils turpentine, are among the lines in which comparatively heavy dealings have taken place. It is hardly speculation, but a genuine desire to keep up stocks to requirements.

ADVANCE IN PROCESS BLOCK WORK.

What with increased cost of paper, owing to duties, war risks, and other charges, to higher cost of ink, and a reduction of work, the printeries are finding the times difficult. Merchants who issue illustrated catalogues and price lists will be interested though not surprised to learn that costs have advanced in another line. The Master Process Engravers' Association of New South Wales announces that its members are reluctantly compelled, owing to the increased cost of materials, etc., to increase the price of process blocks. The new scale comes into operation on March 15. Ordinary line work will now be charged at 3½d per square inch, as against the present charge of 3d, with a minimum of 12 square inches at 3/6, against 3/. All ordinary colour line work will be charged at not less than 5d per square inch per colour, with a minimum of 5/ per colour. As regards half tones, ordinary square finish ovals and circles are to be charged 6¼ per square inch, as against 6d now. The minimum is to be 12 inches at 6/6, instead of 6/. In morticing no allowance is to be made for spaces, and a charge is to be made for all mortices at not less than 6d per mortice and not less than 3d for stepping. All blocks will be charged on wood measurement. Nine firms in the trade have put their signatures to the amended scale of prices.

TRADE WITHIN THE STATE.

It is impossible to obtain an accurate account of the value of trade done within the State. The railways furnish some return of produce; but, of course, no values. The Harbour Trust Commissioners furnish returns of imports into Sydney from other ports in the State, but beyond these returns there is trade between towns one or both of which are out of touch with either railway or steamer. The returns furnished by the Harbour Trust Commissioners show that for the six months ended December 31 there were imported into Sydney from other ports of New South Wales goods of 1,057,698 tons weight, and of the value of £3,440,811. Corresponding figures for the second half-year of 1913 were 1,077,165 tons of the value of £3,765,330. The chief import was butter, £635,218, coming in the half-year of 1914, compared with £714,071 in the corresponding period of the previous year. Next on the list is coal—£316,136, compared with £249,179. Bunkers represented £376,058, compared with £322,314. Wool shows the decrease caused by the war—£238,289, as against £595,675. Next on the list is timber—£257,313, compared with £296,635. All the sugar came by steamer—£195,806 worth in the period of 1914, compared with £226,850. Maize sent to Sydney from the rivers was of the value of £111,266, compared with £86,848. Hides and skins were worth £228,450, and for the similar period of the previous year £236,100. Of bacon and hams £232,290 was sent, compared with £208,236. Live stock was worth £127,271, against £118,413. Cheese was of the value of £100,400, compared with £106,292. The rivers and South Coast sent the city £52,788 worth of eggs, and in the corresponding six months £68,818.

The amount of wool manifested to arrive at Darling Harbour on Saturday was 2790 bales.

At Darling Harbour on Saturday 119 tons of wheat and 165 tons of flour were manifested to arrive.

LONDON MARKET CABLES.

BAR SILVER.

LONDON, March 5.

Bar silver is quoted at 22 3-16d per ounce standard (1-16d higher).

METALS.

Metals were quoted to-day as follow:—Copper, standard, spot, b £63/10/, s £63/15/ (7/6 higher); three months, b £64, s £64/5/ (10/ higher); electrolytic copper, b £69, s £69/10/ per ton.

Tin, spot, b £184, s £184/10/ (£2/10/ higher); three months, b £163, s £163/10/ (£1 higher) per ton.

Spelter, b £44, s £45 (15/ higher) per ton.

WOOL SALES.

The market at to-day's wool sales closed very firm. There was strong competition for all qualities at top prices. Americans bought good merinos freely.

The following were among the sales effected:—Mount Bute, /15, /16¾; A.M.L., /16, /15½; Breeze, /12, /11¾; Waterloo, /14¼, /13¾.

New Zealand: Mokopeka, /18, /17.

LONDON, March 6.

At the wool sales 60,500 bales were sold for home consumption, 5000 bales went to the Continent, and 16,000 to the United States; while 11,500 bales have been held over.

Good greasy combing merinos closed 15 per cent. above February rates. Faultier sorts were 10 per cent. higher. Scoureds were from 15 per cent. to 20 per cent. dearer, and crossbreds generally 10 per cent. Slipes were from par to 5 per cent. higher. Merino lambs' wool brought from 5 per cent. to 10 per cent. more than in February. Crossbreds realised fancy prices.

RABBITSKINS.

At the rabbitskin sales 1290 bales were offered, and of these 847 bales were sold. There was little change in prices, except that better qualities declined /½.

HIDES, LEATHER, AND BASILS.

Hides are dull. Quotations are:—Queensland meatworks, heavy ox, /9¾; medium /9 13-16d, cow /9¾; New South Wales, all descriptions, /9¾.

There is a steady demand for leather. Best Sydney and Melbourne is bringing from /16 to /18¼.

Basils are in good demand at unchanged prices.

FROZEN MEAT QUOTATIONS.

London market quotations for the undermentioned classes of frozen meat are based on actual sales of not less than 100 carcases of mutton and lamb and 25 quarters of beef of fair average quality. These quotations are not for selected lines, but for parcels fairly representative of the bulk of the shipments now on offer:—

Australian Sheep.		
Xb and/or merino wethers, 1st quality	40/60lb	5 7-16d (1-16d higher)
Ditto, 2nd quality	30/55lb	5¼d (1-16d higher)
Ewes	30/50lb	5 3-16d (1-16d higher)
New Zealand Sheep.		
Canterbury xb wthrs and maiden ewes	48/56lb	None offering.
Ditto	56/64lb	None offering.
Ditto	64/72lb	None offering.
Southland, ditto	56/64lb	None offering.
North Island, ditto	56/63lb	5 13-16d (1-16d higher)
Ditto, best brands	56/64lb	None offering.
Ewes	48/64lb	5½d (1-16d higher)
South American Sheep.		
Xb and/or merino wethers, light	40/55lb	5¾d (unchanged).
Ditto, heavy	56/72lb	5½d (unchanged)
Ewes	48/64lb	None offering.
Australian Lambs.		
Best brands	Under 36lb	7¼d (¼d higher)
Fair quality	Under 36lb	6¾d (¼d higher)
Inferior quality light weights	28/42lb	6½d
New Zealand Lambs.		
Canterbury	28/36lb	None offering.
Ditto	36/42lb	None offering.
Ditto	42/50lb	None offering.
Southland	28/42lb	None offering.
North Island, select	28/42lb	None offering.
North Island	28/42lb	None offering.
South American Lambs.		
Light	28/36lb	6½d (unchanged)
Heavy	36/42lb	6¼d (unchanged)
Beef.		
Australian frozen crop	140/220lb	6 3-16d (1-16d higher)
Ditto, hinds	140/220lb	6 9-16d (unchanged)
N.Z. frozen fores	160/220lb	6¼d (1-16d higher)
Ditto, hinds	160/220lb	6 9-16d (1-16d higher)
Argentine frozen fores	160/220lb	None offering.
Ditto, hinds	160/220lb	None offering.
Ditto, chilled fores	160/220lb	6¼d (¼d lower)
Ditto, hinds	160/220lb	6¾d (¼d lower)
Uruguay, frozen fores	140/200lb	None offering.
Ditto, hinds	140/200lb	None offering.
Ditto, chilled fores	140/200lb	5¼d.
Ditto, chilled hinds	140/200lb	6½d.

RABBITS.

Rabbits are firm at full rates.

BUTTER.

Danish butter is worth from 138/ to 140/ per cwt.

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCE.

May-June shipments of American middling cotton is offered at 4.89d per lb. (.02d higher on the week).

Jute is quiet. Native first marks March-April shipment are quoted in Dundee at £21 a ton.

The market for hemp is steady. March to May shipment is bringing £31/10/ a ton (unchanged).

Rubber is quoted thus:—Fine hard Para, 2/5¼ per lb (unchanged), plantation; first latex crepe 2/4¾ (¼d higher), smoked sheet 2/5¼d (¼d higher).

Copra, South Sea bagged, January-February shipment, is selling at £27/5/ a ton (unchanged).

Linseed oil, spot pipes, is quoted at £30 a ton, equal to 2/4.92 a gallon (unchanged).

WHEAT.

The wheat market is weak, owing to heavy Argentine shipments and further weakness in America.

Chicago futures are quoted thus:—May, 135¾ cents to 140 cents; July, 110¾ cents to 113¾ cents a bushel.

Later.

Wheat cargoes are neglected, and La Plata are occasionally rather easier.

GRAIN AFLOAT.

Grain shipments afloat on March 5, a week previously, and a year ago, were:—

	March 5, 1915. Qrs.	Feb. 26, 1915. Qrs.	March 6, 1914. Qrs.
United Kingdom	2,500,000	2,315,000	3,770,000
The Continent	3,606,000	3,060,000	2,015,000
Total	6,106,000	5,375,000	5,785,000

THE WEEK'S SHIPMENTS.

The quantity of wheat and flour shipped to Europe during the week ended March 5 amounted to 1,630,000 quarters, compared with 1,200,000 quarters in the previous week, and 1,205,000 quarters in the corresponding week of last year. Shipments included Atlantic Coast, 798,000 quarters (379,000 quarters last year); Pacific Coast, 34,000 quarters (244,000), [illegible]a, 48,000 (2000); Argentine, 530,000 (244,000).

INDIAN WHEAT FORECAST.

DELHI, March 7.

The forecast of the area under wheat is 32,000,000 acres, an increase of 33 per cent. The Government is arranging to export the surplus at the usual season.

EXPORT TRADE.

TWO MONTHS' EXPORT.

The returns of exports from Sydney during February and the first two months of the year furnished by the Customs Department, show that, with the exception of butter, skins, and leather, every line shows a decrease. Butter nearly doubled, and the increase in leather was substantial. The decline, of course, is most noticeable in wool, but all other pastoral produce has been seriously affected by the drought. Metals, too, are lower. The decrease in hares and rabbits is not serious. Exports of flour amounted to 59 tons. Details may be given thus:—

Exports.	Feb., 1915.	Two Months. 1915.	1914.
Wool, bales	97,825	144,021	220,063
Skins, pkgs.	3,591	7,347	6,801
Hides, No.	86,647	88,521	103,276
Tallow, casks	3,639	8,146	12,574
Tin, ingots	968	3,704	6,749
Copper, ingots	131,822	241,698	294,116
Leather, pkgs.	1,492	3,210	1,027
Preserved meats, cases	38,606	71,471	76,795
Frozen mutton, cases	157,915	251,955	351,409
Frozen beef, pcs.	10,089	19,621	35,020
Hoofs and bones, cwt.	872	1,688	2,790
Horns, No.		20,357	202,398
Butter, boxes	44,262	133,571	68,059
Hares and rabbits, pairs	462,253	940,144	1,012,949
Timber, super feet	224,763	770,359	924,385

LONDON VERSUS OUTPORTS.

The diversion of Australian produce from the port of London to Bristol is reported on to the Bristol Docks Committee by Mr. Manning Lewis, their commercial superintendent. Mr. Lewis has made a journey round the world to study commercial conditions on behalf of Bristol. His report to the Docks Committee is, much of it, of a confidential nature (writes our London correspondent). Mr. Lewis says that, "whereas formerly producers were entirely dependent upon London for the whole of their market—to which port practically the whole of the products were sent on commission, and dealt with by London produce merchants—there is now a demand for the products in many countries of the world, and purchase on c.i.f. terms is an important factor in the routing of traffic to a particular port. It is stated that London produce firms either buy butter and cheese outright or advance a considerable portion of the value early in the season, and that if Bristol firms want to compete for this produce they should have representatives in the Dominions to do likewise." In a later passage, Mr. Lewis says, "Much dissatisfaction exists in many quarters, especially in New Zealand, with the present methods of handling and marketing produce sent to this country, and, for the purpose of bringing about an improvement in these matters, a strong movement is on foot for closer co-operation amongst producers."

CONGESTION AT LONDON DOCKS.

Never in the history of the port of London has there been so much merchandise stored and waiting to be stored in the dock warehouses. A leading official of the Port of London Authority informed the "Times" two weeks ago (writes our London correspondent on January 22) that every berth was occupied, and that 28 liners were anchored off Gravesend, waiting for berths to be found for them. The chief difficulty of the Port Authority lies in the lack of labour, and, although it has been employing on an average 6500 men, in the place of a normal average of 5000 men, during the last three months, at least 500 more are needed. In the warehouses of the Port of London Authority alone there were warehoused 650,000 tons of goods, and an enormous quantity, chiefly composed of food stores. These food stores mainly consist of tea, grain, frozen meat, canned goods of all sorts, and wine.

PRODUCE.

RAILWAY MARKET.

Saturday morning's sale was typical of the general run for week-end sales. A small yarding of produce was offered at auction to a poor attendance of buyers, who were not over anxious to buy. Notwithstanding this fact, the majority of the auctioneers had little difficulty in clearing consignments at late highly satisfactory rates.

Wheaten chaff realised from 7/8 to 8/7, whilst oaten brought from 5/5 to 8/. lucerne was worth 7/6, the consignment being of choice quality. Oaten hay found purchasers at 8/10, and lucerne commanded prices ranging from 5/ to 7/6.

Consignments placed in position for sale: Hay, straw chaff, 33; grain, 5; potatoes and onions, 3.

Produce manifested to arrive: Hay, straw chaff, 141; grain, 18; potatoes and onions, 1.

Wheaten Chaff.—Ryan, Dubbo (12014), 7/8; Stockman and Kleinig, Curban (424), 8/2; ex Brewongle (1921), 8/7; ex Wongarbon (12697), 8/3; French, Maryvale (17284), 8/.

Oaten Chaff.—Armstrong, Clarendon (2081), £/5; —— (16860), 7/11, Hennessy, Tarago (11611), 8/; ex M'Alister (18320), 7/6, 49 bags 7/1.

Lucerne Chaff.—— (17229), 7/6.

Oaten Hay.—Ex Orange (9068), 8/10.

Lucerne Hay.—Keech, Mudgee (5290), green 7/, brown 5/ (ex truck); A. E. Tomkins, Mount Frome (14267), 7/1; Menchin, Murra (12184), 7/; Caughey, Mudgee (9662), part 6/9, balance 7/3; Mills, Mudgee (16711), 7/6; Buckman, Mudgee (4171), 6/7.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

At the Municipal Market on Saturday fair business was done in practically all lines of vegetables. Late rates were steadily maintained.

Quotations were:—

Beetroot, 1/; carrots, 1/ to 1/6; celery, 3/; eschalots, 1/ to 1/6; herbs, to 1/6; lettuce, /6 to 1/; parsley, 1/6 to 2/6; parsnips, 2/ to 2/6; radishes, /6; rhubarb, 1/6 to 2/6; watercress, 2/ to 2/6; white turnips, /6 to 1/; spinach, /6 to 1/ per dozen bunches; beans, 4/ to 8/; peas, 4/ to 8/ per bushel; cabbages, 1/ to 10/; vegetable marrows, 1/6 to 3/; watermelons, 1/ to 3/6 per dozen; rockmelons, 2/ to 4/6 per case; cucumbers, 3/ to 5/ per bushel-case; tomatoes, extra choice, 4/; others from 1/6 a half-case; pumpkins, local, 1/6 to 4/ per dozen; Queensland, 5/6 per bag; onions, brown 10/, white 14/, Hunter River 6/ to 8/ per cwt; potatoes, Circular Head 8/, Bismarcks 8/, Pinyeyes 8/, Up-to-dates 7/6, local varieties 6/ per cwt; Swedes, 10/ per cwt.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

LAUNCESTON, Sunday.

The Kakapo and Alabama left Devonport and Saturday morning for Sydney with 25,622 bags of potatoes, 7898 bags of chaff, 6609 bags of oats, 679 bags of turnips, 591 bags of peas, 64 bags of tares, 65 bales of straw, 224 cases of apples, 59 cases pears. 17,415 bags of potatoes are for the Sydney market.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

The following stock trucks have been ordered for the forthcoming sales:—

	Sheep waggons.	Cattle waggons.
March 8	430	195
March 11	461	218

PROPERTY SALES.

Hardie and Gorman Pty. Ltd., acting under instructions from the Intercolonial Investment Company, Ltd., held the sale of the Carlingford Station Estate on the ground, on Saturday last. 18 lots were sold at prices varying from 8s to 22s per foot. Total sales £1284.

The same auctioneers report having held a successful sale, in conjunction with Mr. Fred. Brown, of the Westerla Estate, Hurstville. 26 lots out of 36 were sold, at prices ranging from 20s to £2 5s per foot. Total sales £1852.

MINING.

QUIET BUT STEADY WEEK.

OUTLOOK ENCOURAGING.

From a business point of view, the past week was not a very profitable one to operators or speculators, not because of the share values that ruled—they were sound and solid enough—but because of the restricted volume of business recorded.

To scrip-holders the restriction of business is a matter of secondary importance. What chiefly concerns them is, first, the development of the mine ore bodies, both in size and quality, and, secondly, the state of the market for the sale of their products. Neither the tin streamer, copper smelter, nor the producer of zinc or lead concentrates has any cause to complain at the present price at which his product is selling, though (zinc excepted) he would not mind if it were selling at a higher price.

The record of the London metal market for last month and the opening days of March shows that, despite some big fluctuations, the general trend of tin values was on the upgrade. Thus, whilst the three months' price for the white metal was £158/5/ on February 26, on March 4 it had improved to £162/15/, and now stands at £162/5/, as against £177 twelve months ago. Those who have made a study of the tin market over many years are confident that, with the improved manufacturing demand throughout the world, and the fact that new tin fields have not been developed to meet the increased consumption, the price of the metal must be upwards. They do not look for any great or further advance this year, but are certain next year will see a marked increase. If so, it will be very helpful to the established Australian tin producers in the East, as well as to those that will shortly reach that stage—the Kampong Kamunting, for instance.

Though the price of copper lags behind, nevertheless it is consoling to find that, despite the disturbing influences of the war upon manufacture in which copper plays a large part, the three months' price of the metal—£63/12/6—is only £1/7/6 per ton lower than it was six months before war was declared. The ruling price is a good one, and the smelter who cannot make a good profit at £63/12/6 should set about putting his house in order.

The position of the Barrier producing mines has brightened considerably, not only as regards the value of their produce, but likewise their ability to dispose of them. This was the fly in the ointment that caused the outlook of the Barrier mines to appear so black at the commencement of the war. The adoption of a scheme under which the leading Barrier mines will be able to adopt a basis of co-operative smelting at the B.H. Proprietary Port Pirie works has changed the whole aspect of affairs, and the possibility of other Barrier mines participating in the arrangement is the cause of the decidedly cheerful atmosphere that envelopes the zinc-silver-lead industry. Added to this is the fact that spelter at £43/15/ is £22/5/ per ton higher than it was twelve months ago— a price that has never been reached before.

Thus, whilst operators may have cause to grumble at the inactive condition of the Stock Exchange, the remarkable firmness of both the metal and share markets is a highly satisfactory off-set. The week was brought to a close on Saturday under conditions more cheering than any that ruled earlier in the week.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—Saturday's quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Corella Copper	0 8 0	0 8 6
Hampton-Cloncurry, paid	1 7 0	1 7 3
Mount Lyell	1 3 8	1 4 6
Mount Morgan	2 1 6	2 2 6
Wallaroo and Moonta	—	2 1 0
TIN.		
Carpathia, paid	0 7 4	0 8 2
Vegetable Creek	0 4 11	0 5 0
Wild Cherry, paid	—	0 2 4
Tin.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Deebook Dredging	1 11 3	1 12 3
Austral, Malay	1 8 0	—
Katoo Deebook	0 16 6	0 18 0
Kampong Kamunting	0 19 0	0 19 7½
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 10 0	1 11 6
Ditto, Compound	0 12 0	—
SILVER.		
New South Wales, etc.		
British Broken Hill	1 6 6	1 6 7½
Ditto, Privileged	1 2 6	1 4 0
Broken Hill Proprietary	1 17 9	—
Ditto, Block 10	1 4 6	1 7 0
Ditto, Block 14	0 4 11	0 5 5
B.H. Junction, paid	0 1 11	—
Ditto, con.	0 0 10	0 0 11
B.H. Junction North	0 6 0	0 6 2
B.H. North	2 4 6	—
B.H. South	7 0 0	—
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	0 19 6	—
Zinc Corporation, ord.	0 14 6	0 15 6
Ditto, pref.	—	2 2 0
New Burragorang	0 7 6	0 7 9
GOLD.		
Queensland.		
Charters Towers, etc.		
Victory	0 0 10	0 0 11¼
Victoria.		
Empress	—	1 6 0
Western Australia.		
Bullfinch Proprietary	0 5 6	0 5 10
Commodore	0 2 9	—
Great Boulder	—	0 18 6

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The shares not listed on the Sydney Stock Exchange are marked with the letter "U." The following sales were reported:—

COPPER.

Hampden-Cloncurry, 27/, 27/3; six weeks, 27/3, 27/6; six weeks, 27/6.

SILVER.

Broken Hill Junction, contg. /10, /10½.

Broken Hill Junction North, 6/1.

British Broken Hill, old, 26/7½; six weeks, 26/9.

North Broken Hill, 45/.

TIN.

Vegetable Creek, 5/; six weeks, 5/.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

LONDON, March 6.

On the Stock Exchange to-day Australian mining stocks were quoted as follows:—Broken Hill Proprietary, b 38/6, s 39/6; British, b 25/2, s 26/3; Boulders, b 16/6, s 17/; Hampden, b 26/, s 27/; Mount Lyell, b 23/, s 23/6.

MINING NOTES.

A cable has been received from London, stating that the resolution for the Tasmania Gold Mine, Limited, to go into liquidation, was unanimously passed at the annual general meeting, held on March 2. The confirmatory meeting will be held on March 17.

The manager of the Great Britain Sluicing mine at Emmaville announces the clean-up of the Y Creek plant, after sluicing for 193 hours, for an estimated yield of 3 tons 10cwt tin ore.

The strength of Hampden-Cloncurry shares on Saturday was probably due to the fact that a telegram from the manager stated that the face of the north drive, 6ft in from the plat at the 350ft level of No. 3 Hampden shaft, was sampled 6ft 7ft wide, without either wall being disclosed, and returned 10 per cent. of copper. The formation is a chalcopyrite, or yellow copper ore.

The manager of the Tyrconnel gold mine wires that for the fortnight ended March 1, 234 tons were crushed for a return of 235oz. This result is exclusive of concentrates and tailings.

Operations at Rowley's Reef, Hawkin's Hill gold mine, last month are officially recorded as follows:—"Continued main unwatering level north towards Patriarch shaft 32ft, and reached the Patriarch cross course. Both are making a little water, but not sufficient to drain the country. Turned main drive east, and will continue same to the Patriarch, shaft by measurement 58ft. The country is good, and a month's work will reach the shaft at a depth of 412ft from the surface, to which depth the whole property will be unwatered."

In his report for the past month, the manager of the Hawkins' Hill Reward gold mine states that a stope on ore about a foot wide, and worth 10s per ton, is being carried south from No. 1 winze at the 130ft level. An intermediate level was opened out north and south, and back-stoping started on a nice, strong reef going north, worth 15dwt per ton. At the 200ft level the manager opened out on the new reef with gold values varying from ½oz to 1½oz per ton. This reef is irregular, and runs from 6in to 2ft 6in in width. The face north at present shows reef 2ft 6in, value ½oz per ton. Back-stoping was continued from the 200ft level without change, values being about 1oz per ton. The total crushed 255 tons for 208oz gold.

The following telegram was received from the Melbourne secretary of the Deebook Tin Dredging Company:—"February output, 13¾ tons of tin oxide. Stopped seven days owing to a broken hanger, and three days consequent on the Chinese New Year."

A telegram received from the manager of the Wild Cherry tin mine, Ardlethan, stated: —"In north drive, No. 1 level, lode over 2ft wide, carrying good tin."

Reporting on February 28, the manager of the Bendoc Welcome Stranger gold mine, states:—"In crosscutting from the main shaft at the 150ft level, the reef has been cut at a distance of 48ft from shaft. It is very solid, showing gold freely, with excellent pan prospects. Width not yet proved. Starting crushing March 4."

A fire at Antiope mine, Sunnyside (Vic.), yesterday destroyed the battery, engine, and plant. The damage is estimated at £400. Good stone had been found in the mine by tributers, who were opening it up, but the fire has had the effect of closing the mine altogether. There was no insurance.

The plant of the Ovens Valley Gold-dredging Company in a run of 261 hours turned over 11,892 cubic yards of material and recovered 29.2oz of gold. The average value of the ground treated was 2.361d per cubic yard.

The Kulamadau gold mine (Woodlark Island) reports having crushed 1858 tons of ore, for gold valued approximately at £1730. Since the clean up the ore shows an improvement in value.

One of the dredges of the Araluen Redbank Gold Dredging Company, for the week ended February 26, recovered 38oz 12dwt of gold for 127 hours work.

The directors of the Radium Hill Company have established at No. 10 Castlereagh-st. a radium spa or dispensary for radio-active drinking water and other radium emanation products. According to a memorandum issued to the medical profession by the directors, the waters are prepared from stock solutions made in the company's laboratory at Woolwich. Accompanying the memorandum is a printed copy of an address on the progress of Radium-Therapy, delivered by Dr. Saubermann, of Charlottenburg, Berlin, at a meeting of the Roentgen Society, held on April 1, 1913.

The Brilliant Extended Company (C.T.) reports having crushed 1130 tons of ore during the past month for proceeds valued at £2644. There were also cyanided 1100 tons of sand for bullion, valued at £763. The profit for the month was 90s.

MINE MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Golden Horseshoe Gold Mines (Oberon), February 24:—Main shaft sunk and timbered to 74ft, quartz leaders in bottom, carrying fine colours of gold. Crosscutting will be started for reef, which should be cut in about 60ft. Reef going underfoot at 40ft level in old workings from 5ft to 8ft wide, carrying payable gold. Hope soon to be able to raise trial crushing from this reef.

Bodangora Gold Company, February 25.—No. 6 level east: Advanced 20 feet, reef 8 inches, value 23/. No. 6 level west: Advanced 20 feet, reef 9 inches, value 52/. No. 7 level west: Advanced 20 feet. No. 7 level east: Rise advanced 21 feet. No. 8 level west: Advanced 24 feet, rise advanced 11 feet.

Great Southern Consols (Rutherglen).—Lower level advanced to 324 feet. No. 2 shoot: All blocking and driving operations ceased on the 19th inst. No. 3 shoot: South drive advanced 31 feet, total 596 feet. Last three sets of driving not payable, reef rose past wash, again dipping and improving somewhat in value. West off south drive advanced 54 feet, total 223 feet; wash dipped near floor of drive, and about payable. West off north drive advanced 42 feet, payable.

Black Range Company, March 3.—No. 7 level: Stoping stone 4ft; value 20dwt. No. 3 level: Main south drive extended 15ft, total 1125ft; no change. Stopes throughout no change. Battery crushed for month of February 2550 tons for 1104oz; cyanide plant treated 1754 tons for 292oz; and slimes plant treated 796 tons for 100oz. Total gold, 1496oz.

BULLFINCH PROPRIETARY (W.A.), LIMITED.

The following are the chief features from the report of progress for the two weeks ended February 20:—No. 1 (main) series (100ft level): Rise from No. 9 stope started and up 17ft, holing at that point to surface. Values averaged £1/19/ over 60 inches wide. No. 2 (southern) series (310ft level): No. 9 rise put up a further 5ft, total 35ft, and holed to winze. No. 10, 210ft level: Values averaged £1/9/6 over width of 48 inches. 410ft level: Main west plat now out 28ft from the shaft, in country.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Copper: Fitzroy, b /5, s /9½; Hampdens, 27/9; Mount Lyell, b 23/9, s 24/3; Mungana, s 1/; O.K., b /2, s /3; Wallaroo, b 40/, s 40/6.

Tin: Vegetable Creek, 5/3; Broken Hill debs., £100, b £99/10/, s £100; Block 14, pref, b 8/10; ditto, ord, 5/1, b 5/1, s 5/2; Block 10, b 25/3, s 26/; British (old), 26/6, b 26/6, s 26/9; British (new), 23/3, b 23/0, s 23/3; Junction, paid, b 2/, s 2/1¼; Junction, con., b /10¼, s /11¼; Junction North, 6/2, 6/4, b 6/3, s 6/4; Norths, 45/1, 45/9, b 45/9, s 46/; South, paid, b £7/4/, s £7/5/; ditto, con., b £6/15/, s £6/16/; Sulphides, ord, 20/1, 19/10¼, b 19/9, s 20/3.

Gold: Lake View and Star, b 3/11½, s 4/1; Associated, s 5/9; Bullfinch Proprietary, b 5/7, s 5/9; Commodore, 3/1, b 3/1, Great Boulder, 18/1½, 18/3, 50 shares 18/1, b 17/10½, s 18/; Mararoa, 7/9, b 7/9, s 7/11; Marvel Loch, b 20/; Sons of Gwalia, s 21/.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The following sales were reported:—

Silver: Amalgamated Zinc (six weeks), 22/; Broken Hill (six weeks), 27/9; North, 45/.

Copper: Corella, 8/6; Hampden, 26/10½, 27/10½; ditto (six weeks), 27/1½, 28/; Lyell Blocks, 1/1.

Tin: Brieris, 5/9; Katoo Deebook, 18/3.

W.A. Gold: Edna Consol, 5/6, 5/3; Edna May, Central, 24/10½, 24/9, 25/3; two weeks, 24/6, 25/; Empress, 24/, 24/6; Tilgam Consol, /9.

Gold: Ajax, 10/6, 10/9, 10/3, 10/6; ditto, North, 9/2; six weeks, 9/3; Cathcart, Central, 33/9, 35/; Nuggety Ajax, 3/9; Bangadangs, odd lots, £27/10/, £26.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

There were no sales on 'Change to-day.

BENDIGO, Saturday.

To-day's sales were as follows:—Constellation, 4/9; Great Extended Hustlers, 7/6, 7/3; Unity, 1/10; Victorian Consols, 9/6; Windmill Hill, 1/3, 1/7; Clarence United, 6/3.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Saturday.

To-day's sales were:—B. Extended, con., /11; Clark's, 1/9½; Mexican, con., /5; Victory, /11.

MINING YIELDS.

The following gold yields are reported:—

VICTORIA.

	Ozs.
Carlisle, 456 tons	130
Central Red, White, and Blue, 70 tons	6
Ditto, tribs., 248 tons	108
Cornish United, 258 tons	90
Constellation, 145 tons	102
Golden Pyke, 200 tons	138
Hercules and Energetic, 200 tons	92
Koch's Pioneer, 320 tons	86
Sea, 190 tons	117
South New Moon, 275 tons	75
Victoria Consols, 300 tons	100
Beaufort Deep Lead	169
Cathcart Central	290
Llanberris, No. 1 (month)	319
New Normanby (fortnight)	204
St. Arnaud North, 550 tons	115

MINING DIVIDENDS.

Dividends have been declared, payable on the days mentioned hereunder. C. denotes when the transfer books close, P. when the dividends are payable.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.	
B.H. Block 14, C. March 10, P. March 31	10 p.c.
B.H. South, C. March 2, P. March 26	3 0
Araluen Redbank, C. March 9, P. March 15	0 6
VICTORIA.	
Duke and Main Lead Cons., C. March 8, P. March 15	0 6
New Normanby, C. March 11, P. March 16	0 6
Northern Hope, C. March 23, P. March 30	0 6
Tongkah Compound, C. March 18, P. March 26	0 6
Victoria Consols, C. March 9, P. March 11	0 6
Ajax Central, P. March 11	1 0
Cathcart Central, C. March 9, P. March 16	1 0
Guildford Dredging, P. March 9	1 0
QUEENSLAND.	
Mount Morgan, P. March 31	1 0
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.	
Great Boulder, P. March 19	0 9
Sons of Gwalia, P. March 25	0 6
Edna May, C. March 11, P. March 17	3 0
Kalgurli, P. April 7	4 0

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

M. GOULSTON and CO.—At 452 New Canterbury-road, Dulwich Hill, at 11, Stock of Pictures, etc.

BARNARD and CO.—At 473 Parramatta-road, Leichhardt, at 10, Plant of Laundry.

MITCHELL and CRANSTON.—At 35 William-street, Paddington, at 11.30, Furniture, etc.

A. G. JENKINS.—At the Rooms, at 11, Jewellery, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At 292 Pitt-street, at 11, Clothing, Boots, etc., at 2.30, Sundries.

H. LEVY.—At 135 Regent-street, city, at 2, Clothing, Boots, etc.

E. R. GREGORY and CO.—At 466 George-street, at 2.30, Drapery, Saddlery, Crockery, etc.

EVANS and CO.—At 150 Enmore-road, at 2.30, Furniture, etc.

WOOL SALES.

At the Sydney Wool Exchange, at 3, Wool.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, Camperdown, at 10.30, 11.30, and 12, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, Potatoes, etc.

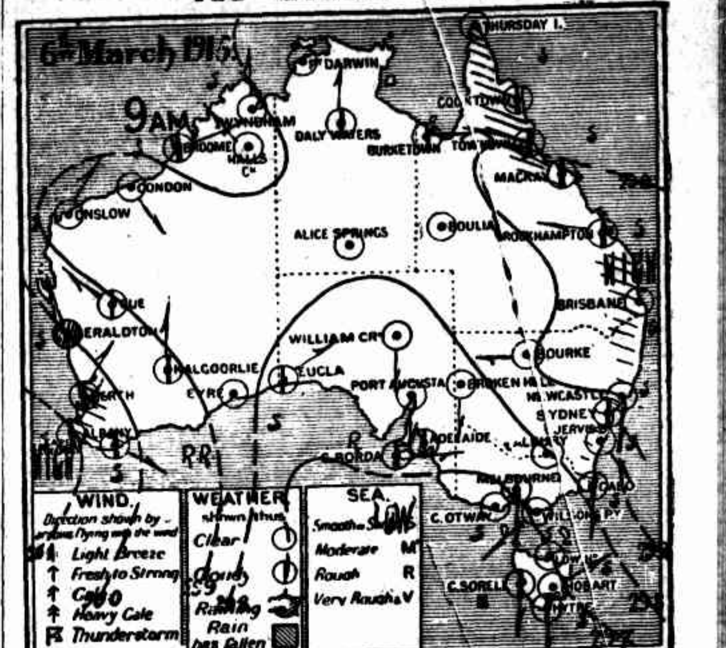
MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown Station, at 7, Wood, etc.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, etc.

The Delicious "Ophir" Golden Tip Tea. Ask and insist on it. At all stores.—Advt.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The pressure systems since Friday have made rapid movements eastward. The high pressure which was situated to the south of Adelaide has, during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. Saturday, moved about 1000 miles to the north-east, and is at present centrally situated somewhere about Lord Howe Island. Very flat conditions exist over the northern half of Australia, which means that monsoonal conditions still prevail over that part of the continent.

The Antarctic disturbance which was shown over the western portion of the Bight has moved to the west coast of Tasmania, but up to the present has not done any good.

Ocean Forecast.—Fresh southerly winds in the Bight, passing eastward to Straits and Tasmania by Monday.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Saturday.

SYDNEY RAINFALL.

Average annual for 56 years, 4814 points.

Average for 57 years, from January 1, to end of February, 804 points.

Total from January 1, 1915, to date, 254 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1914, 327 points.

Barometer: Saturday, 9 a.m., 29.88129; 3 p.m., 29.694; 9 p.m., 29.684. Sunday, 9 a.m., 29.691; 3 p.m., 29.572; 9 p.m., 29.629.

Temperature: Saturday, 9 a.m., 75.6; 3 p.m., 80.9; 9 p.m., 76; maximum, 84; minimum, 67.6. Sunday, 9 a.m., 82.5; 3 p.m., 94.1; 9 p.m., 86.1; maximum, 95.1; minimum, 66.8.

Humidity: Saturday, 9 a.m., 72; 3 p.m., 68; 9 p.m., 77. Sunday, 9 a.m., 28; 3 p.m., 14; 9 p.m., 24.

Wind: Greatest velocity, Saturday, 28 miles from the N.E., at 5.50 p.m.; Sunday, 25 miles from the W.N.W., at noon.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. Saturday).

Byron Bay, 3 points, Casino 5, Crookhaven 3, Eden 5, Grafton 35, Jervis Bay 4, Port Macquarie 5, Seal Rocks 6, Springwood 4, Sydney 1, Tabulam 18, Ulladulla, 9.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 6 P.M.

Ballina, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, NE, fresh, hazy, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, not received; Bellinger Heads, not received; Nambucca Heads, not received; Port Macquarie, NE, fresh, hazy, sea rough; Manning Heads, NE, light, fine, hazy, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, NE, light, cloudy, hazy, sea slight; Port Stephens, NE, fresh, hazy, sea slight; Newcastle, NNE, light, fine, clear, sea smooth; South Head, NW, light, dull, hazy, sea slight; Wollongong, N, light, cloudy, hazy, sea smooth; Kiama, NW, light, hazy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, NW, light, thick haze, sea smooth; Moruya, not received; Eden, south, fresh, cloudy, fine, sea moderate; Green Cape, south, fresh, cloudy, fine, sea moderate; Gabo Island, south, moderate, gloomy, misty, sea rather rough; Nelson's Bay, NE, fresh, hazy, sea slight.

RIVER REPORTS.

The heights above summer level of the inland rivers at 9 a.m. on March 6 were as follow:—

Albury, 1ft 2in below summer level; Angledool, l; Balranald, below summer level; Bingara, 9in, s; Boggabilla, 6in below summer level; Booligal, summer level; Bourke, l; Brewarrina, 3ft, s; Collarenebri, l; Condobolin, l; Cowra, 2ft; Deniliquin, below summer level; Dubbo, 2ft 3in; Euabalong, 1ft 9in, s; Euston, 1ft 3in; Goodooga, l; Gundagai, 7in below summer level; Gunnedah, 2ft 6in; Hay, summer level; Hillston, dry; Inverell, l; Louth, 1ft 6in, s; Manilla, l; Menindie, 1ft 9in; Moama, below summer level; Mogil Mogil, l; Moulamein, below summer level; Mungindi, 2ft 3in; Narrandera, 4ft 10in; Pooncarie, l; Tilpa, 1ft, f; Tamworth, l; Tocumwal, 1ft 9in, below summer level; Wagga Wagga, 1ft 5in; Wentworth, l; Wilcannia, 2ft, f; Yetman, l; Namoi River, at Walgett, below gauge.

Note.—R, rising; f, falling; s, stationary; l, low.

FORECAST FOR N.S.W. AT 9 P.M.

Fine and cooler generally, with squally southwesterly winds, except for an isolated thunderstorm or two in eastern districts.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR MARCH 8.

Sydney Observatory, Saturday.

Sun rises at 5.47, sets at 6.25; Moon, 10.34 p.m., 12.51 p.m.; Mercury, 4.7 a.m., 5.13 p.m.; Venus, 2.16 a.m., 4.6 p.m.; Mars, 4.22 a.m., 5.41 p.m.; Jupiter, 5.6 a.m., 6.4 p.m.; Saturn, 1.38 p.m., 11.35 p.m.

High water at Fort Denison at 1.2 a.m., and 1.44 p.m.

New Moon, March 16, at 5.42 a.m.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—March 6.

Pacifique, F.M.S., 1938 tons, Captain Charvin, from New Hebrides and Noumea. Passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Carr, Mr. Langon, Mr. R. Pennel, Mr. and Mrs. Pennel, Mr. D. Y. Dalyell, Mr. A. Teuire, Mr. Seagoe and a child, Mr. Jacomb, Mrs. Jacomb, and a child, Mr. Brown, Mr. Colonna, Mr. Vactain and a child, Mr. Fabre, Mr. Steintel, Mr. Playoust, Mr. and Mrs. Colonna, Mr. Louis Ricia, Mr. M. Vyrode, Mr. and Mrs. S. Martin, Mrs. Darkngain, Mr. and Mrs. Hong Lee, Mr. A. Hong Lee, Miss Poupart, Mrs. Bastien, Miss Bastien, Mr. Vomonabe, Mr. Gushikuma, Mr. Yamejiro, Mr. Gushimaguko, Mr. Feiratani, Mr. Gushinah, Mr. Hayicijiro, Mr. Kumara, Mr. Stono, Mr. Massura, Mr. and Mrs. Carrel, Mr. J. B. Barnet, Miss Condnull, Mr. Turutakur, Miss Maueer, Miss Campana. E. de Baillou, agent.

Hitachi Maru, J.M.S., 6716 tons Captain Satow, from Yokohama, via ports. Passengers: Messrs. E. H. Dobleday, J. Jordon, E. S. Mark, O. Duboc, H. F. Andreau, J. Bathaser, G. Parmenter, W. Burke, H. J. Monckton, T. Peebles, S. D. Arrutta, A. Lewis, C. A. Learoyd, H. Gabbels, R. J. Symonds, A. Rosseau, A. Feather, A. Brancroft, J. C. Michael, J. A. Bruce, R. Higham, W. Gay. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Mongolia, R.M.S., 9505 tons, Captain Llewellyn, from London, via ports. A. Gordon Wesche, agent.

Inveramsay, bq, 1321 tons, Captain Watson, from Liverpool, via Newcastle. Dalton Bros., Ltd., agents.

Kaituna, s, 1977 tons, from Kaipara. Union S.S. Company, Ltd., agents.

Canadian Transport, s, 4139 tons, Captain Organ, from Melbourne. W. Crosby and Co., agents.

Joan Craig, s, 1148 tons, Captain Mawson, from Wanganui. R. S. Lamb and Co., Ltd., agents.

Riverina, s, 4758 tons, Captain Easson, from Auckland. Huddart, Parker, Ltd., agents.

COASTWISE.—Astral, s, from the Nambucca River; Alice, s, Newcastle, s, Queen Bee, s, from Newcastle; Illaroo, s, from Catherine Hill Bay; John Alice, s, from Broken Bay; Cooloon, s, Hall Caine, s, Coombar, s, Edris, ktch, Alpha, sch, Douglas Mawson, s, Murray, s, Jap, s, from the North Coast; Galava, s, from Bulli; Malachite, s, from Bellambi; Five Islands, s, from Wollongong; Benandra, s, Ilerga, s, from the South Coast.

March 7.

Morinda, s, 1500 tons, Capt. Hillman, from Rabaul, via ports. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Kapunda, s, 3997 tons, Capt. Roy, from Newcastle. Melbourne S.S. Co., Ltd., agents.

Marsina, s, 1832 tons, Capt. Weatherall, from Port Moresby, via ports. Burns, Philp and Co., Ltd., agents.

Middlesex, s, 7264 tons, Capt. Makepeace, from Liverpool, via ports. Birt and Co., agents.

COASTWISE.—Wollongbar, s, from Byron Bay; Pulganbar, s, Brundah, s, from the Clarence River; Nooreebar, s, Fitzroy, s, from Coff's Harbour; Tamban, s, Yulgilbar, s, from the Macleay River; Comboyne, s, from Camden Haven; Maianbar, s, from the Manning River; Tuncurry, s, from Cape Hawke; Hunter, s, Pelaw Main, s, Yambacoona, s, Myola, s, Cavan, sch, Archer, s, Sphene, s, Lubra, s, from Newcastle; Myee, s, Duranbah, s, Belbowrie, s, Magdalene, s, Kallatina, s, Tay L, s, Korumnah, ktch, from the North Coast; Corrimal, s, from Bulli; Dunmore, s, from Shellharbour; Kiama, s, from Kiama; Merimbula, s, from Eden; Our Elsie, s, Bermagui, s, from the South Coast.

Departures.—March 6.

Miltiades, s, for Brisbane.

Mallina, s, for Brisbane.

Cantara, s, for Brisbane.

Matunga, s, for Samarai and Rabaul.

Mindini, s, for the Solomon and Shortland Islands, via Brisbane.

Bombala, s, for Melbourne.

Canberra, s, for Brisbane.

Empire, s, for Kobe, via ports.

Tyala, s, for Newcastle.

Katoomba, s, for Western Australian ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.

Koonya, s, for Hobart, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—March 8.

Kakapo, s, for Burnie and Devonport (cargo only); Nerong, s, for the Nambucca River; Comboyne, s, for Camden Haven; Yulgilbar, s, for the Macleay River; Nooreebar, s, for Coff's Harbour and Woolgoolga; Cooloon, s, for Tweed River; Hunter, s, for Port Stephens, via Newcastle; Merimbula, s, for the South Coast; Tuncurry, s, for the North Coast.

CLEARANCES.—March 6.

Matunga, s, 1618 tons, Captain McInnes, for Samarai and Rabaul.

Shortland Islands, via Brisbane.

Koonya, s, 1001 tons, Captain Reid, for Hobart, via Newcastle.

Katoomba, s, 8900 tons, Captain McDonald, for Western Australian ports, via Melbourne and Adelaide.

Canberra, s, 7707 tons, Captain Douton, for Queensland ports.

Bombala, s, 3540 tons, Captain Hurford, for Melbourne.

Cantara, s, 3802 tons, Captain McLaren, for Queensland ports.

Mallina, s, 3211 tons, Captain Gilling, for Brisbane and Rockhampton.

Empire, s, 4190 tons, Captain Pilcher, for Kobe, via ports.

Miltiades, s, 3890 tons, Captain Burge, for Brisbane.

STEAMERS DUE TO-DAY.

Hornelen, from San Francisco, via ports.

Warilda, from Western Australian ports, via Adelaide and Melbourne.

Kakapo, from Devonport.

Wyandra, from Queensland ports.

Kanowna, from Melbourne.

Time, from Rockhampton, via Brisbane.

Gabo, from Melbourne and Geelong.

Moeraki, from Hobart.

Barwon, from Melbourne and Geelong.

Kakapo, s, from the north-western coast of Tasmania, is due here to-morrow morning, and will berth at the Druitt-street wharf.

Manuka, s, which sailed from Wellington at 7 p.m. on Friday, should arrive in Sydney to-morrow.

Wandra, s, was off the Heads last night waiting until daylight to enter.

MOVEMENTS OF OVERSEA VESSELS.

Euripides, s (Aberdeen line), left Durban on Thursday, outward bound.

Tasman (Royal Packet S.N. Co.), from Australian ports, arrived at Sourabaya on Friday.

ARRIVAL OF SONOMA.

Mr. V. A. Sproul, managing agent for the Oceanic Steamship Co. in Sydney, is in receipt of a wireless message from Commander Trask, of the above steamer, stating that he expects to arrive in Sydney to-morrow morning.

BAR HARBOURS.

Manning River Heads, bar 12ft, rise 4ft 8in, crossing 10ft, rise 3ft 8in; Cape Hawke, bar 8ft 8in, high water beacons in line, very narrow; Camden Haven Heads, bar 10ft 6in, crossing 8ft 6in, rise 4ft; Richmond River Heads, bar [illegible] crossing 12ft high water; Clarence Heads, bar 15ft 6in, crossing 13ft, rise 4ft; Tweed Heads, bar 11ft, crossing 12ft 6in, rise 3ft 4in; Nambucca Heads, bar 9ft 4in, crossing 9ft 4in, rise 4ft 3in.

WIRELESS ON N.Y.K. STEAMERS.

Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Company, Limited, are in receipt of a cable from the president of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Tokyo, to the effect that the steamer Tango Maru is now fitted with wireless. All the N.Y.K. Australian liners are now so fitted.

FRESH CHARTERS.

Clan Macdougall, s, 4710 tons, now at Melbourne, proceeds to the Philippines in ballast; Howth, 4-m bq, 2166 tons, New York to Australian ports—general; Invermay, bq, 1337 tons, New York to Australian ports—general.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

TOWNSVILLE (1258m).—Arr: March 6, Innamincka, s, from Cairns.

PORT ALMA.—Arr: March 6, Bingera, s, from Brisbane.

GLADSTONE (882m).—Arr: March 8, Cooma, s, from Brisbane.

BRISBANE (533m).—Arr: March 7, Ardgryfe, s, from New York. Dep: March 6, Changsha, s, for Hongkong; Wyandra, s, for Melbourne; Wyreema, s, for Cairns; Burwah, s, for Rockhampton; Time, s, for Sydney; Gracchus, s, for Bombay.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (331m).—Passed: March 7, Canberra, s, 5.45 a.m., north.

CLARENCE HEADS (296m).—Passed: March 7, Mallina, s, 3 p.m., north.

SOUTH-WEST ROCKS (259m).—Dep. March 7, Gumbar, s, 9.30 a.m.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: March 7, Tyala, s, 12.20 p.m.; Cantara, s, 1.40 p.m.; Matunga, s, 2.15 p.m.; Blaxland, s, 4 p.m.; Tambar, s, 4.30 a.m.; large str., two yellow funnels, 7.15 a.m.; Corumba, s, 10 a.m.; Empire, s, 1.30 p.m.

ORARA, s, 2 p.m.; Mindini, s, 3.30 p.m.; Chillagoe, s, 5.40 p.m., north.

PORT MACQUARIE (174m).—Arr: March 7, Macquarie, s, 10.40 a.m.

TACKING POINT (169m).—Passed: March 7, Coolebar, s, 11.20 a.m.; Tintenbar, s, 3.15 p.m.; Kyogle, s, 4.50 p.m., north; North Coast steamer 1.15 p.m., south.

CROWDY HEADS (147m).—Passed: March 7, Ballengarra, s, 1.30 p.m.; Canonbar, s, 3.30 p.m., north. March 7, two motor launches, painted green, 5.50 a.m., anchored in bay.

SEAL ROCKS (109m).—Passed: March 7, Commonwealth, s, 11.15 a.m.; Duroby, s, 1.20 p.m.; Astral, s, 4.10 p.m.; Our Jack, s, 5.40 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS (88m).—Arr: March 7, Dauntless, s, 10.40 a.m. Passed: March 7, Kallatina, s, 6.30 a.m., south.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed: March 7, steamer, yellow funnel, black top, 2 p.m., south; Wandra, s, 5.50 a.m., north.

GREEN CAPE (238m).—Passed: March 7, Burrumbeet, s, 8.35 a.m., Kakapo, s, 10.40 a.m.; Warilda, s, 4.50 p.m., Aeon, s, 9.15 a.m., Alabama, s, 11.20 a.m., north.

GABO (238m).—Passed: March 6, Koonda, s, 10.25 p.m., west. March 7, Saros, s, 12.55 p.m., like Bombala, s, 6.45 a.m., Katoomba, s, 7.20 a.m., west; Gabo, s, 1 a.m., steamer, yellow funnel, 6.25 a.m., steamer, like black funnel, 10.55 a.m., north.

HOBART (648m).—Dep: March 6, Medina, R.M.S., 6.20 p.m., for Melbourne.

LOW HEAD (509m).—Dep: March 6, Warratua, s, 7.40 p.m., for Melbourne.

DEVONPORT WEST (498m).—Dep: March 6, Alabama, s, 1 a.m., for Sydney.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.

Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.

Queensland.—Overland, 3.30 p.m.

Tuncurry, etc.—Tuncurry, 2 p.m.

Eden, etc., and Montague Island.—Merimbula, 2.30 p.m.

Nambucca Heads.—Nerong, 2.30 p.m.

Macleay River.—Yulgilbar, 4.30 p.m.

Durban and Capetown, via Adelaide.—Anchises, 5.30 p.m.

Coff's Harbour, Bellingen, etc., and Solitary Island.—Nooreebar, 6 p.m.

Laurieton.—Comboyne, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Nelson's Bay and Tea Gardens, via Newcastle.—Karuah, 2.30 p.m.

United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide, and thence per R.M.S. Medina, 5.30 p.m.

R.M.S. Medina (letters addressed to persons on board, care of the Commander).—Overland to Adelaide, 5.30 p.m.

Western Australia, via Adelaide and Fremantle.—R.M.S. Medina, 5.30 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Loongana, 5.30 p.m.

Richmond River.—Brundah, 8 p.m.

Byron Bay.—Wollongbar, 8 p.m.

Coff's Harbour and Jetty.—Fitzroy, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Clarence River.—Pulganbar, 6.30 a.m.

United Kingdom, for newspapers to be forwarded wholly by sea and prepaid at the rate of 1d per 10oz or fraction thereof for each newspaper enclosed in separate wrapper.—Orient Royal Mail Packet Orsova, 9.30 a.m.

Hobart (direct).—Orient Royal Mail Packet Orsova, 9.30 a.m.

Hobart (direct).—Manuka, 10.30 a.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Oonah, 8 p.m.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN MAILS.

Mails per R.M.S. Malwa, it is expected, will reach Sydney on Monday, March 15.

American mails per U.S.S. Company's Marama, it is expected, will reach Sydney March 18.

American mails per O.S.S. Sonoma, it is expected, will reach Sydney to-morrow.

Vancouver mails per U.S.S. Company's Niagara, it is expected, will reach Sydney on Friday, March 12.

APPROXIMATE TIME-TABLE.

LONDON TO SYDNEY.

Line.		Date leaving London.	Approx. Date Arrival Sydney.
O.S.S. Co.	Sonoma	Feb. 6	March 9
P. and O.	Malwa	Feb. 6	March 15
Orient	Orontes	Feb. 13	March 22
P. and O.	Morea	Feb. 20	March 29
P. and O.	Maloja	March 6	April 12
Orient	Omrah	March 12	April 19
P. and O.	Moultan	March 20	April 26

SYDNEY TO LONDON.

Line.		Mails Close Sydney.	Approx. Date Arrival London.
P. and O.	Medina	March 9	April 18
Orient	Orsova	March 17	April 24
P. and O.	Mongolia	March 23	April 30
U.S.S. Co.	Marama	March 27	May 1

In addition there may be mails per P. and O. Branch lines via Capetown.

NEWCASTLE.

"DIGGING FOR GOLD."

NEWCASTLE, Sunday.

The lure of gold attracted over a thousand men, women, and children to Newcastle Beach last night to dig for small tins, containing orders for sums of money varying from £1 1s to £15, as well as for other goods. Thirty-three per cent. of the gross takings was to be devoted to the new ocean baths. Shortly before the digging commenced it was estimated that there were between 1500 and 2000 people in the spectators' enclosure. The majority of them had bought small spades.

The town clerk (Mr. E. Scott Holland) had placed the orders in 30 small tins of biscuits, and placed them in holes dug to a depth of 12in to 18in for the purpose. When all the tins had been buried word was given. There were wild rushes for certain places. Over a thousand persons, from a five-year-old child to the men and women of 50 or more, were on the scene, working eagerly either with their small spades or with both hands. The beach was like a busy ant-hill. After an hour's digging all but one of the tins had been discovered.

It was thought that the enterprise would have been a success, but it was announced to-day that the takings at the gate amounted to only £68. In addition to that 880 spades were sold. The promoter will undoubtedly lose on the venture, as, after paying a third of the takings to the baths committee, the amount he has left will not pay expenses.

CASUALTIES.

MAN POISONED.

Ernest Cohen, 40, a labourer, residing at Burnell-lane, Woolloomooloo, was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital by the Civil Ambulance yesterday morning suffering from poison. He was admitted by Dr. Meehan.

CHILD POISONED.

Masie Macfarlane, a child of 2 years, living with her parents at Mackey-street, Surry Hills, was admitted to the Sydney Hospital last evening by Dr. Parkinson, suffering from poisoning and severe burns on the body. Escaping the notice of her parents, the child had climbed up on to a chair in the kitchen after a bottle of poison standing on the mantelpiece. She reached the bottle and attempted to drink the contents, but spilled the greater portion down her neck, severely burning her neck and chest. The Civil Ambulance conveyed the child to the hospital.

CAUGHT BY SHAFTING.

PARRAMATTA, Saturday.

The Parramatta District Coroner, Mr. M. H. Fitzhardinge, S.M., held an inquest yesterday touching the death of David George Ashe, aged 27 years, a resident of Granville, who died on the 1st inst., at St. Joseph's Hospital, Auburn, from the effects of injuries received from an accident on February 17 at Messrs. Ainschau Bros.' tannery at Sandown, Granville. It appears that deceased's left arm was caught in the shafting. When the machine was stopped deceased said it was his own fault. He had nothing to do with the machinery, and should not have been there at all. The medical evidence was to the effect that deceased's arm was nearly torn off.

A finding was recorded of death from injuries accidentally received.

MAN OVERBOARD.

NORFOLK ISLAND, Sunday.

The Induna, on arrival, reported having lost a man overboard.

CLERGYMAN CHARGED.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Sunday.

At Christchurch, William George Maslin, a Methodist clergyman, was committed for trial at the Supreme Court on a charge of indecency. Accused is stationed at Foxton, and went to Christchurch to attend the Methodist Conference.

PREMIERS' CONFERENCE.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Premier, Mr. Denham, announced on Saturday that he would not be able to attend the Premiers' Conference, in view of the election campaign. He added that Queensland would be represented at the conference. Mr. Denham states that his policy speech will probably be delivered on Thursday, March 18.

WASTE OF VEGETABLES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As there is so much distress in Sydney and suburbs on account of the war, with food dear and half-time work, I would like to draw attention to the great waste of vegetables which the market gardener is unable to sell in the markets. Rather than take home his surplus the gardener "tips" it, and I have heard it said that enough vegetables are wasted to feed all the poor of Sydney. My brother-in-law is a market gardener, and once said that if the united charities of Sydney would provide a yard convenient to the markets, with a staff to divide and distribute the vegetables, that practically all the men would be glad to give this surplus to the cause of charity. For obvious reasons this could not be sold, but surely each suburb could have a depot where the needy ones could be provided with free meals. If things get much worse some such assistance will be needed, as even now many breadwinners are idle, and the big majority are working half time. I am no organiser, nor do I personally know anything of the working of the markets, but I trust that this hint will be taken up by someone who has the ability to carry it through successfully.

I am, etc., CLARA SMITH.

Every soldier should carry a box of Pedic Pomade. Kills vermin on man and horse. Talbots and Washington Soul. All chemists. Posted to Egypt, 1/8.—Advt.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, March 1, 1915.

NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT 4 PER CENT. DEBENTURES, MATURING APRIL 1, 1915.

Holders of N.S. Wales Government 4 per cent. Debentures, numbers 1 to 1311, series Z.4, of £100 each, maturing in Sydney on April 1, 1915, are offered in exchange for such Debentures Treasury Bills bearing interest at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, with currency of 5 years.

Bills will be issued in denominations of £100, £500, £1000, and £5000, and holders who intend to exchange Debentures for Treasury Bills should notify the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, the Treasury, on or before the 15th March, 1915, and also state the denominations required.

W. A. HOLMAN,
(2a-4) Colonial Treasurer.

IN THE MATTER OF PEPPERS', LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION), Mercers and Outfitters, 310 George-street.

The CREDITORS of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before 17th day of March, 1915, to send their names and addresses, together with particulars of their Debts or Claims, to me, the undersigned, and if so required by a notice in writing from me, the said Liquidator, to furnish such proof of the said Claims as I may reasonably require, at or before such time as may be specified by me in such notice, or in default they will be excluded from participating in the distribution of the Assets of the Company.

HERBERT B. NELSON,
Liquidator.
STARKEY and STARKEY,
Chartered Accountants,
92 York-street.
Sydney, March 6, 1915.

AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS, GRANVILLE BRANCH.

The Result of the Scammel Benefit Art Union, which was drawn on Friday, March 5, at School of Arts, Granville, resulted as follows:—

1st Prize, 1106, value £5; 2nd Prize, 2043, value £4; 3rd Prize, 1959, value £3; 4th Prize, 1765, value £2; 5th Prize, 2947, value £1. Twenty Prizes, value 15/— 358, 1142, 1447, 2033, 855, 3084, 1406, 1527, 15, 3133 922, 507, 484, 580, 524, 2732, 1115, 1342, 2879, 895. Twenty Prizes value 10/—864, 493, 1606, 2258, 1827, 2949, 1897, 494, 155, 2154, 611, 2222, 844, 679, 2315, 405, 1541, 1754, 1624, 158.

THE following is the result of the drawing of the Belgian Fund Art Union, Mudgee:—1st prize, No. 2694; 2nd prize, No. 351; 3rd prize, No. 3008; 4th prize, No. 1069; 5th prize, No. 1692; 6th prize, No. 3061; 7th prize, No. 2748; 8th prize, No. 406; 9th prize, No. 1176; 10th prize, No. 1941; 11th prize, No. 2984; 12th prize, No. 1341; 13th prize, No. 202; 14th prize, No. 895; 15th prize, No. 485; 16th prize, No. 1031; 17th prize, No. 2887; 18th prize, No. 3043; 19th prize, No. 485; 20th prize, No. 2134; 21st prize, No. 381; 22nd prize, No. 475; 23rd prize, No. 1939; 24th prize, No. 2827. Herbert J. McPherson, Sec. Art Union.

UNLESS Mandoline Harp left with the Pastrycooks' Employees' Union of New South Wales is claimed within seven days from this date the same will be disposed of. Dated this 8th day of March, 1915.
F. LANDON, Secretary.

STANDARD MANUFACTURING CO., Ltd., request that their Employees call next week at GRACE HOUSE, Kent-street, opposite old premises, with reference to Restarting Factory.

ON and after this date I will not be responsible for any Debts contracted in my name without my written authority. C. O'SULLIVAN, 8 James-street, Woollahra.

I WILL NOT be responsible for any DEBTS contracted in my name from this date without my written authority. W. J. Bardsley, Lucas-rd, Burwood.

AGENTS please note that my Cottage, Newings, 107 Dalhousie-street, Haberfield, is Withdrawn from Sale and Lease. E. H. LACK.

I WILL not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted in my name from this date. CHARLES W. STOKES, Union-street, West Kogarah.

I NOTIFY Agents that I have Sold my House, [illegible]ton, Fleet-st, Carlton. Mrs. B. Cooper.

I WITHDRAW my Business from all Agents from this date. A. Adding, Perouse-rd, Randwick.

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Leave Sydney Thursday, 1st April, 10.5 p.m.
Return to Sydney Tuesday, 6th April, at 5.35 a.m.

TOUR NO. 2.—BURRINJUCK AND THE FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY: Historic Excursion. Unique opportunity to see the Australian Capital Site and First Buildings, including Huge Power House and Plant, the Cotter River and Dam, the Royal Military College, Duntroon, and the Burrinjuck Dam—the greatest dam in the world.
Leave Sydney, Good Friday, 2nd April, 8.10 p.m.
Return to Sydney Tuesday, 6th April, at 5.35 a.m.

TOUR NO. 3.—PORT STEPHENS AND THE MYALL LAKES: The Finest and Most Extensive Smooth-water Excursion in the State. Beautiful Lakes and Rivers. A fine holiday trip by rail, motor car, ferry, and motor launch, through Newcastle, Port Stephens, Bungwahl, Tuncurry, Taree, Gloucester, and other fertile North Coast towns and rivers.
Leave Sydney Thursday, 1st April, at 3.25 p.m.
Return to Sydney Easter Monday, 5th April, at 3.35 p.m.

Inquire and arrange at the

GOVERNMENT TOURIST BUREAU, CHALLIS HOUSE, SYDNEY.
PERCY HUNTER, Superintendent. Telephone, City 2488.

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A Second and Final Dividend of 1/ in the £ on Accounts in the above Estate is due, and payable at this address on and after THIS DAY, MONDAY, March 8, 1915.

All promissory notes must be produced.

BROOKS and DEANE,
Incorporated Accountants,
Belmont-building,
15 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

I, ETHEL MAY ANDREWS, of Derby, W.A., hereby give notice that if my husband, John Andrews, does not communicate with me on or before 30th of April, I intend to take the necessary steps to enable me to marry again. ETHEL MAY ANDREWS, Derby. 24/2/'15.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES

District Headquarters,
Staff Office,
Sydney, 2nd March, 1915.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 2nd Military District, New South Wales.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

TENDERS are invited and will be received at the Army Service Corps Office, Victoria Barracks, Sydney, until noon on WEDNESDAY, March 10th, 1915, for the Supply of FIREWOOD for troops encamped at Liverpool; and Quotations are invited for the Cartage of Firewood to Holsworthy.

Period—15th March, 1915, to 30th June, 1915.

TENDERS are also invited and will be received at the above office until 5 p.m. on FRIDAY, 19th March, 1915, for the Supply of BREAD, MEAT, GROCERIES, POTATOES, MIXED VEGETABLES, and FIREWOOD for German subjects interned in Berrima Gaol—8 miles from Moss Vale, N.S.W.

Period—1st April to 30th June, 1915.

Envelopes containing tenders must be endorsed "Tenders for Firewood or Provisions."

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Ordnance Department,
George-street North,
Circular Quay, Sydney.
March 4, 1915.

QUOTATIONS will be received by the Senior Ordnance Officer, Ordnance Department, George-street, North, Circular Quay, up to 3 p.m. on MONDAY, 8th MARCH, 1915, for the undermentioned:—
28 TENTS, FIELD HOSPITAL.
28 SETS POLES.
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Ordnance Department,
George-street North,
Circular Quay,
Sydney, March 3, 1915.

QUOTATIONS will be received by the Senior Ordnance Officer, Ordnance Department, George-street North, Circular Quay, up till 3 p.m. on MONDAY, 8th MARCH, 1915, for the undermentioned Articles:—
200,400 pairs DRAWERS (WOOLLEN).
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G. F. PEARCE,
Minister of State for Defence.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES.

Ordnance Department,
George-street North,
Circular Quay, Sydney,
26th February, 1915.

Quotations will be received by the Senior Ordnance Officer, Ordnance Department, George-street North, Circular Quay, up till 3 p.m. on MONDAY, the 8th March, 1915, for the undermentioned:—
22,000 PAIRS LEGGINGS, C.P., BROWN.
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(D.B.) Minister of State for Defence.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Ordnance Department,
George-street North,
Sydney, 7th March, 1915.

TENDERS will be received by the Senior Ordnance Officer, Ordnance Department, George-street North, Circular Quay, up till 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, 11th March, for the undermentioned:—
50,700 HATS, Felt Fur.

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LATE TENDERS will NOT be accepted.
G. F. PEARCE,
Minister of State for Defence.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of EDWARD WEIGALL WILSON, late of Tamworth, in the State of New South Wales, Draughtsman, deceased, Intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the undersigned on or before the eighth day of April, 1915. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of EDWARD PARK, late of Summer Hill, in the State of New South Wales, Nightwatchman, deceased, Intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the undersigned on or before the eighth day of April, 1915. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN JENNINGS, late of Mandemar, Berrima, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Second Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twentieth day of April, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this third day of March, A.D. 1915. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. JOHNSON and SENDALL, Proctors, Goulburn. By VINDIN and LITTLEJOHN, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROBERT ARCHIBALD WILSON, late of Balmain, in the State of New South Wales, Medical Practitioner, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Balmain on 24th November, 1914, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the said Estate to the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY (LIMITED), 2, 4, and 6 Spring-street, Sydney, the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, on 10th February, 1915, on or before the twenty-first day of April next, in default whereof the said Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited), will, after the last mentioned date, proceed to administer the Estate and distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice, and the said Company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this fifth day of March, 1915. For Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited), R. COPLAND LETHBRIDGE, Acting Manager. BEEHAG and SIMPSON, Proctors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HANNAH TOOLE, also known as HANNAH O'TOOLE, late of Balmain, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Balmain on 20th November, 1914, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the said Estate to the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY (LIMITED), 2, 4, and 6 Spring-street, Sydney, the Executors of the Will of the said deceased, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales on 22nd February, 1915, on or before the twenty-first day of April next, in default whereof the said Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, will, after the last mentioned date, proceed to administer the Estate and distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice, and the said Company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this third day of March, 1915. For Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited), R. COPLAND LETHBRIDGE, Acting Manager. MAKINSON and D'APICE, Proctors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ELLEN SARAH WALKER, late of Hill Plain, near Deniliquin, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased, Intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM ULRIC WALKER, of Hill Plain, near Deniliquin aforesaid, Farmer, the husband of the said deceased. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are hereby requested to at once forward particulars thereof. JOHN HERIOT, Proctor for the Administrator, Deniliquin. By his Agent, LEON L. COHEN, 24 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN ROBB, late of Mogo, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN ROBB-DANIEL CASEY (in the Will called Dan Casey) and WILLIAM HENRY ROBB, the Executors named in the said Will. All notices may be served at, and all claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased sent to, the office of the undersigned. WILLIAM SYMONS GRAY, Proctor for the Executors, Prudential-chambers, 375 George-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANNIE BRUNTON EWING, late of Cook's Hill, in the State of New South Wales, Spinster, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY PORTEOUS EWING and ELIZABETH EWING, the Executrices named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, and all creditors, if any, are requested to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned within such fourteen days. BRAYE and COHEN, Proctors for the Executor, Bolton-street, Newcastle. By their Agents, ASHER, OLD, and JONES, 17 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

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C. 10.—Come down to-day to see mother, without fail.

CHARLEY.—Please call Customs House Hotel, Quay.

CHARLES ARTHUR NEWTON, who resided in Watson's Bay in July, 1903, or anyone knowing his address, kindly communicate with G. W. STANLEY, Criterion Hotel, Meringandan, via Toowoomba, Q.

GREAT BOWDEN, Estate of, Hampshire, England, waiting and anxious to receive news from mother, of Murdock, Lancashire, England, son James.

M.—Write, moving, worried, ill. 80, Darghan.

NORMAN.—Where are you? Sobl, working. Write c.o. C. M. Anxious. Love, Mum.

OSCAR E. RICHARDSON (otherwise known as JACK RICHARDSON), formerly of Gunning, Great Southern Line, New South Wales, is entitled to a legacy under a Will, and is requested to communicate at once with the undersigned.
A. H. BOWMAN, Solicitor,
Geelong, Victoria.

SEVEN.—Letter received Thursday. Call for letter this morning, Sat. Carr.

W.A.—Do meet me, 11.30, Horderns', before too late; in other hands. Ashfield.

WILL Mrs. MURRAY, late of 82 Grafton-st, Woollahra, kindly send add. to C., P.O., Wahroonga.

YOUNG Lady has make acq. Christian Gent., good pos., about 32. Prot., view mat. A., Wm.-st P.O.

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LOST AND FOUND.

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GALAH, Lost, on Sunday evening. Finder rewarded. Apply M'n Ashby, Union Bank-chs., Pitt-st.

LEFT Mort's Dock Ferry Wharf, Parcel, cont. 3 Books. Please return to 83 Phillip-st. Refunds.

LOST in Dudley-st, Coogee, Gent's Gold Signet Ring. Reward. Return to Ventura, Dudley-st.

LOST, Sat., nr. Waters, Gold Wristlet Watch. Lady's Communicate Howard, 278 Liverpool-st, D'hurst.

LOST, Gold Pendant, 2 photos., bet. H'market-Anglo-st, E'ville. Rew. 1. Fox, 40 Amy-st, E'ville.

LOST, Gold Medal, initialled. Reward. No. 20 Oxford-st, Paddington.

LOST, from Lane Cove, Blue Greyhound Bitch; handsome reward. F. J. Ludowici, 117 York-st, city.

LOST, in or nr. Dibbs-st, Up. Set False Teeth. Reward. Crowley, cr. Dibbs-Jenning sts, Alexandria.

LOST, Australian Terrier PUP (male). Reward. Jack Wood, Milton, Queen's-avenue, Rush. Bay.

LOST, Leger, Ascot, 5-stone Diamond Engagement Ring, handsome rew. Miss Murphy, 515 Crown-st.

LOST, in Botany, Roan HORSE, with whiskers on. Reward. W. Springs, Loftus-st, Homebush.

LOST, Coogee, surf, Saturday, Top set False Teeth, Black plate. Reward. 92 Boundary-st, Paddington.

LOST, between Roseville and Circular Quay, Gold BANGLE. Apply Aurum, Herald.

LOST, Friday, Gold Yearly Railway Ticket, Sydney to Petersham. Reward. 74 Albert-st, P'sham.

LOST, Gold Chain with Albert Greenstone Pendant and Swiss Watch, 20s rew. 40 Point-st, Pyrmont.

LOST, Sunday, Gold Medal, M.F.A. Dewar Cup, Rocky Pt.-rd, Rew. J. Baylis, 43 Harnett-av, Marr.

LOST, Little Pay Horse, brs. CC conj., been down on knee. Reward. Bolling, 308 Trafalgar-st, Annandale.

LOST, Gold Mounted Tobacco Pouch, initialled H.A.M. Return 448 Elizabeth-st, city.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, Wednesday, bet. Silver-st and Illawarra-rd, Pair Gent's Gold Sleeve Links, design Australia. Reward, ret. to Baldry's Boot Shop, Marrickville Term.

LOST, Single-stone Bar Brooch, safety chain attached, between Spit and North Sydney. Keepsake. Reward. R. Ure, Military-rd, Mosman.

LOST, bet. Northcote-st and Haberfield Section, Gold Bangle, initials K.J.W. Finder rewarded, returning to Maitland, Northcote-st, Haberfield.

LOST, Family Memorial, initialled and inscription Ring, between Dudley-st, Coogee, top Oxford-st. Rew. ret. P. H. Sullivan, Villosa, Dudley-st, Coogee.

LOST, Friday night, between Bathurst and Cleveland sts, Gent's Single-stone Diamond Scarf Pin. Keepsake. Liberal reward. 52 William-st, Redfern.

LOST, Gold Cable Bangle, Friday, between Hill, Johnson, and Norton streets, Leichhardt. Good reward. Apply Brighton, Waratah-street, Leichhardt.

LOST, Gold MEDAL, between Bondi Rink and Junction, Sat. night, inscription, Miss L. Nilson, ex [illegible] paid on return to 74 Pitt-street.

LOST, between Greenwich Wharf and Circular Quay, Travelling 10.48 Boat, Friday, lge. Envelope, containing legal papers. Reward. Return to LANE COVE FERRY OFFICE.

LOST, Gold Watch and Chain, with 2 trinkets attached (Cigar Piercer), and T.R. conjoined on [illegible], watch T. R. Bonnington, Coonabarabran, [illegible] case. Reward paid to finder, Hotel Metropole.

LOST, at Bondi Junction Skating Rink, or near by, Gold Fob CHAIN, with Topaz on end. Finder return MICHAEL BRACKS, 26 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern. Reward.

LOST, at or between White City and City, Lady's GOLD WATCH, L.D. inscribed on cover. Keepsake; also CABLE BANGLE. Substantial reward on returning to Mrs. DAVEY, Wonga-street, Canterbury.

PERSON picking Parcel, 12.15 Dulwich Hill Tram, Friday, kindly return address inside paper.

REWARD.—Lost, Pink Ninon Blouse, bet. Pitt-George sts, Strand, Sat. Ret. Farmer's and Co.

REWARD.—Lost, a Parcel cont. 2 Surf Hats, William-st tram. Mr. Gray, 27 Charles-st, East Syd.

REWARD.—Left in Last Tram, Thursday night, Small Leather Suit Case, containing clothes. Sanders, Baker, Boulevard, Strathfield.

WILL Person who found Parcel, contg. Shoes, Campsie Tram, Friday. Ret. Campsie Stn. Reward.

WILL Person who picked up Parcel containing trousers, corner of Macpherson and Thomas sts, Waverley, on Saturday at 1.15, near Cemetery, please return same to Miss Lavender, Tarara, Bronte. Reward.

WILL Person who picked up GLADSTONE BAG at National Park Boat Sheds, containing Lady's Silver Purse and Shoes, etc., kindly return to 66 [illegible]-street, City. REWARD.

FOUND, Gold Bangle, in Redfern-st. Apply 220 St. John's-rd, Glebe.

FOUND, Bay Racing MARE, about 2 years. Apply 9 Moorehead-st, Redfern.

FOUND, Ptn. Pen. (Bondi Jun.), last month. Write par. Pen., Bondi Junct. P.O.

MASCOT POUND. Roan Draught Gelding, near shoulder 8, off shoulder 2. Brown Gelding, near shoulder DI like Y sideways over 52.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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FIRST-CLASS VEST HAND wanted. Weekly work. Apply Chas. F. Ferguson, 43 Market-st.

FOUR DRAYS, come on Monday. R. FRENCH, Euston-rd, Alexandria.

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GROCERS.—Smart, willing young MAN wanted, refs. Bailey Bros., Hurstville.

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GROCERS.—Smart JUNIOR wanted, about 18 years. 155 Bondi-rd, Bondi.

GROCERY.—Smart JUNIOR wanted, references. J. Downey, Enmore Terminus.

GROCERS.—Wanted, reliable Carter, knowledge of Redfern and Botany preferred. G. J. JONES, 152 Redfern-st, Redfern.

GOOD Opportunity for Young Men and Women of good appearance, in motion picture work, must have sm. prem. R. 1, 2nd fl., I.O.O.F. Temple, Eliz.-st.

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POSITIONS VACANT.

HAIRDRESSER (Improver only wanted), £2 start, country town. Ryan and Co., 161 C'reagh-st.

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WANTED, GENERAL MANAGER for LARGE GENERAL IRONMONGERY BUSINESS, in NEW ZEALAND, both wholesale and retail. Must be fully competent to take management, and full charge in all departments.
State age, and fullest particulars respecting qualifications, and experience, with copies of testimonials; salary required, etc.; also date could take up the duties if appointed.
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Wellington, N.Z.,
will be received up to MARCH 25.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted, for Stock Broker's Office. References essential. Apply STOTT and UNDERWOOD, 70 Pitt-street.

KNITTING.—Flat Machinist, Improver, can accom. Write Mrs. Fraser, Caronia-ave., Cronulla Bch.

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LEGAL.—Wanted, Male Junior CLERK, knowledge shorthand, typewriting. Salary to C. L., Herald.

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MEDICAL.—SURGEONS required, steamers to London, salary. Loxton, Co., 18 O'Connell-st.

MILLINERY.—APPRENTICES wanted. 149 George-st West.

MILLINERY.—Smart IMPROVERS wanted. 149 George-st West.

MACHINISTS, for coats, wanted, must be good, best wages. Nathan Jacobs, 117 Bathurst-st.

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THOMAS H. NESBITT, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Sydney, 5th March, 1915.

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PLUMBER.—First-class Man wanted, garage, opp. Town Hall, Mosman, Monday, 9 o'clock. FREDK. NICHOLLS, Architect.

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FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR.
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Apply DAVID JONES, LTD., Costume-to-Order Department.

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SMART BOY WANTED. Apply 9 o'clock, Kemps, Ltd., 583A George-st, city.

STENOGRAPHER (lady) required for country, knowl. legal and keeping pref. Currie, Wood, 8 Spring-st.

SMART JUNIORS, for Ribbon and Fancy Departments, wanted. Apply AINSWORTH'S, Liverpool-street.

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RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER.
Immediate application invited for the Position of RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER to above institution. Remuneration at rate of £50 p.a.
Further particulars may be obtained from
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VACANCY in the office of Hardware Merchants for a JUNIOR CLERK, must be experienced in invoicing and able to use typewriter. Apply, stating age, experience, and salary required, SECRETARY, Box 1519, G.P.O., Sydney.

WANTED, good COACHPAINTER, must be good writer. Dunn Bros., South Kensington.

WANTED, a BOY, for office. Apply Jackson and Jordan, Young and Bridge sts, Sydney.

WANTED, good Tuner-Repairer, for pianos. State wages required, experience, to 476, Herald.

WANTED, LABOURER. Apply new cottage, Foster-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, 2 Brass Finishers and one Brass Polisher. Austen and McCarthy, 55 to 59 Pier-st, Darling H.

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WANTED, first-class Machinist, costumes, skirts, gd. wages, at once. Clarence, Thomas-st, Ashfield.

WANTED, a GIRL, for packing in a retail chemist's shop. 474, Herald.

WANTED, smart TURNER, at once. Ricey, Ltd., Botany-st, Redfern.

WANTED, smart GIRL, cleaning and messages. Davidson and Norton, 297 George-st.

WANTED, a strong YOUTH, for store. Apply W. N. Beaumont and Co., 17 Grosvenor-st, city.

WANTED, Lift Boy, must have hydraulic certificate. Apply Hotel Arcadia.

WANTED, a LAD, for showrooms and store. Apply with refs., this morn., Jas. Ward, 502 George-st.

WANTED, smart Boy, light duties, office and deliveries. F. WALLER, 416-418 George-st, city.

WANTED, 2 Sheet Metal Workers, must be first-class. Browning, 50 Chelsea-st, Redfern, 7.45.

WANTED, GIRL, for Amazeen Skiver. L. J. Bowen, John-st, Waterloo.

WANTED, SMART LAD. Apply 129 Oxford-st, Bondi Junction.

WANTED, smart LAD for grocery trade, constant, gd. wages suit. person. W. S. Martin, Double B.

WANTED, LAD for Factory, 12s. Apply after 10 a.m., corner Ross-st and Parramatta-rd.

WANTED, thor. experienced Coachpainter, do up landaus; no duffer. Crockett, 9 Norton-st, L'hardt.

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WANTED, Coachpainter's Labourer. John Mackey, Motor Works, Riley-st.

WANTED, Man, city bus., sure £5 wkly., business taught, prem. req. Blake, 28 Moore-st.

WANTED, Canvassers, 20 ladies, salary 50s, good lines. Blake, Rawson-chambers, Railway.

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WANTED, Concrete Men, at Marrickville Destructor, Foreman.

WANTED, young Man, learn ham and beef trade. Moy, 231 Marrickville-rd, Marrickville.

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WANTED, PLASTERER. Gard's job, Portland-st, Enfield.

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WANTED, LADY, sales, experienced. WOLF'S BOOT STORES, 274 and 276 King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, Man, to do Painting. Wynyard Hotel, Clarence-st.

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WANTED, CARPENTER, small job. Apply at 9 o'clock, 802 George-st.

WANTED, first-class SHOER and GENERAL SMITH, also first-class COACHSMITH. BARNES, Coachbuilder, Bangalow, Richmond River.

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WANTED, good MILLINER, for our workroom, splendid salary, competent hand. Mrs. O'DONNELL, 442 George-street.

WANTED, a Squad of Riveters, for structural steel work; also Blacksmith's Striker, able to drive hammer. Storey and Keers, Shelley-st, city.

WANTED, for show week, 10 Girls, highest wages. Those exp. in drinks and confectionery pref. Open one week. Apply Fred Cox, Arden-street, Coogee.

WANTED, a thoroughly respectable Buggy Boy. Apply Monday morning. ARONSON and CO. PROPTY., Ltd., Holt House, York-st.

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WANTED, smart BOY, for messages, just leaving school preferred. Apply Forwarding Dept., Perdriau Rubber Co., Ltd., 270 George-street.

WANTED, good COACHPAINTER, immediately, constant work if suit. Apply H. R. HILL, Richmond.

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WANTED, a Suction Gas Engine-driver, must be experienced. Apply at works, Manly Beacon Brick Co., Ltd., Brookvale, Manly. Tel., 500 Manly.

WANTED, Smart Man as cashier, for leading vaudeville show; nights only, must invest £15. Room 1, 2nd floor, I.O.O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-street.

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WANTED, GOOD GENERAL BLACKSMITH, WAGES, 60s WEEKLY. Constant Work. Apply J. VOWLES, Binnaway.

WANTED, smart Man, general business work, wages and commission, must deposit surety £25 as guarantee to work, energetic. TUCKETT and CO., Auctioneers, 166 Elizabeth-street, near Foy's.

WANTED, experienced SKIRT HANDS; also IMPROVERS, for Ladies' Tailoring and Dressmaking. Apply PAGE, Ocean House, Moore-street.

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WANTED, INGERSOLL MACHINE MEN, MINERS, and WHEELERS. Apply to THE MANAGER, PELAW MAIN COLLIERY.

WE require for our Entering Room, a smart young MAN, about 18 years, as Checker. Previous experience preferred. Apply CHECKER, Box 485, G.P.O., Sydney.

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WE REQUIRE for our Dressmaking Workrooms, GOOD BODICE ASSISTANTS. Apply Mr. Storey, 9 a.m., Costume Showroom, GRACE BROS., "THE MODEL STORE," BROADWAY.

WANTED, for Wholesale House, Telephone Attendant. Must be accustomed to private switchboard. Salary to commence 15s per week. Apply TELEPHONIST, Box 158, G.P.O.

WANTED, a smart BOY, for Music Department, Messages, etc. Apply personally Monday morning, NICHOLSON and CO., LIMITED, 342 George-street, Sydney.

WANTED, CAPABLE DRIVER, for Four-horse Removal Waggon. Must be experienced. Apply Mr. THOMAS, GRACE BROS.' REMOVAL DEPT., George-street West.

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BODICE AND SKIRT ASSISTANTS.
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APPRENTICES, for Underclothing Workroom.
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WANTED, respectable GIRLS, just left school, for our Seed Packing Dept. HORTON and CO., Seed Merchants, 734 George-st, Haymarket.

YOUTHS wanted for our Canister Department. John Sands, Limited, Druitt-st.

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A YOUNG GENERAL, compet., 5 adults. Mrs. Patrick, Dinapore, Crystal-st, Petersham.

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A YOUNG GENERAL wanted, no washing. Apply COOWONG, 22 Lang-road, Centennial Park, after 10 a.m.

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A COMPETENT GENERAL WANTED, good Cook, no washing, help given, gas stove, 20/. References. Apply Mrs. YOUNG, Dr. YOUNG, 148 Botany-road, Botany.

AT FLETT'S, 62 Elizabeth-st.—Hall Porter and Boots, ship's steward preferred, country hotel, meet employer 11 to-day; Housemaid-Waitress, country hotel, 25s; Waitress only, country; Housemaid, stn., 17s.

A GENERAL, 20s, no wash., 3 adults, for Manly; Lady Help, 15s, no wash., 2 adults; H.-Parlour Maid, 18s; Cook, 30s. LOVE'S REGISTRY, Tel., 322. Summer Hill.

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COOKS and LAUNDRESSES, SUBS., COUNTRY, 20s.
PANTRYMAIDS, BOARDING-HOUSE, CITY, 18s.
GENERALS, LADY HELPS. SEVERAL OTHER VACS.

AT Mrs. McKENZIE'S, 44 Castlereagh-street, opp. Hotel Australia. Married Couple, wife laundress and little housework, husband cook, baker, £110, also a H.P. Maid, same stn., 20s; Cook-Laundress, with a child over 4 yrs., 20s; Cook-Laundress, young, N. S., light place; Cook for small private family at Strathfield, 22s, room to self; refined W. Housekeeper for Bowral, 2 adults, close to station, 20s, also for Orange; Lady Help, 15s, no washing, as one of the family (adults); young Girl to train H.P. Maid, Muswellbrook, nice home; young respectable Station Useful, 15s, able milk; Laundress, 25s, station.

AUSTRALIA'S LEADING EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
WANTED TO-DAY. WANTED TO-DAY.
BLACKSMITH, GOOD SHOER, £3, Fare paid, country.
HOTEL USEFUL, £1, F.C. HOTEL, CTRY. Fare paid.
GIRL, LEARN BAR, ASSIST SEWING, ctry. Fare paid.
STABLE BOY, RACING STABLE, 15/ AND KEEP.
HOUSEMEN, DO PLAIN COOKING, £1, SUBS., REF.
COOK-L'DRES, £1/5/; H.P. MD., 18/; same place, subs.
2 GENERALS, £1, HOTELS, CITY and SUBS., REFS.
2 GENERALS, 18/, 20/, 22/6, P. FAMILIES, REFS.
LADY HELP, £1, STN. FARE PAID. CTRY., REFS.
HOUSEMAIDS, WAITRESSES, COOK-L'DRESSES.
OTHERS, ALL TRADES. SEE US TO-DAY. APPLY
COMMONWEALTH EXCHANGE,
209 CULWULLA-CHAMBERS (2nd FLOOR),
TAKE LIFT, 67 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

BILLIARD MARKER, experienced, wanted, good wages right man, open week. Pool, Herald Office.

BARMAID wanted, young, exp., smart. After 10 o'clock, Celtic Hotel, Kent and Market sts.

BARMAID, 25s, must have references, good country hotel. Ryan and Co., 161 Castlereagh-st.

BARMAID, city hotel, 30s; Girl, learn bar, 30s; H'man, pr. fam. Central Agency, 95 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAID, Public Bar, city, 25s, good house. Walker's, 109 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAN, young, city, must have city refs. Interview 9 sharp. Peters, 41 Elizabeth-st.

BARMAN. Rose of Australia Hotel, Erskineville tram terminus.

BARMAN. Smart Useful, assist in bar. United Service Hotel, Oxford-st, Padd.

BURWOOD.—Wanted, good General, good wages, gd. home, adult fam., gas stove, lib. outings, refs. Mrs. Arthur Weston, Kenilworth, Wyatt-avenue.

BRABANT'S AGENCY, 63 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.—Woman Cook, 30s; Waitress, 17s 6d; Housemaid-Waitress (6 wanted), 17s 6d; Housemaid, 17s 6d; Laundress, 20s, 25s, first-class country hotels. Best Positions. All Fares Paid.

COOK-GENERAL wanted, small family, gd. wages, another maid kept. Apply Eltham, Beecroft.

Cook general, for Mountains, 3 adults, all duties, wages 15s, ref. Ivy Cottage, Wentworth Falls.

COOK-GENERAL (young), refs. Apply after 11 o'clock. St. John's Rectory, Darlinghurst-rd.

COMPETENT GENERAL for Killara, 2 adults, 1 child. Mrs. Holmes, Dixson-bldgs., 64 Pitt-st.

COOK wanted, competent, references, fare paid. Apply between 10 and 2 o'clock, Mrs. DEAS THOMSON, Rockley, Elizabeth Bay-road.

CATERS' WAITRESSES' UNION.—Members are informed Booking To-night for Randwick Races, 7 o'clock, Trades Hall. B. ORR, Sec.

COMPETENT Female COOK for boarding-house, kitchenman kept. Branxholme, right at wharf, Mosman. 'Phone, 253 Mos. Mrs. MILES COSTELLOE.

COMPETENT GENERAL, cottage, good plain cook, two adults, other help. Apply 11 a.m., TOLARNO, Cooper-street, Double Bay.

COOK, Woman, used grill-room; also Useful Girl, easy job, holiday given, good home, 2 sisters or friends pref. 397 Sussex-st, near Goulburn-street.

CHEF, city hotel, £3. KITCHENMAN, award. BARMAID, city saloon, 25s. HOUSEMAID-W'TRESS, 17s 6d. CK.-L'DRESS, 25s, hotel. Mrs. BROWN, 28 Castlereagh-street, opp. Moore-st. 10121 City.

COMPETENT COOK and LAUNDRESS wanted, fares paid. Miss BARNETT, Coniston, Preston-avenue, Double Bay.

COOK-LAUNDRESS required for Strathfield, family small. Wages 20/. Interview this day, 12 o'clock. Apply The Manageress, Women's Employment Agency, 231 George-street North, Sydney.

COMPETENT GENERAL wanted, 3 in family, wages 21s per week, no washing. Apply, with references, Tuesday. Mrs. NOTT, Lillington, Albyn-road, Strathfield.

COOK-GENERAL, young, for small private family, house-parlour maid kept. Mrs. LION, Cheyne, Bellevue-road, Double Bay. Tel., 695 Edgecliff.

COMPETENT Working Housekeeper wanted, for adult family, other help kept, no washing. Must cook well. Mrs. W. E. WILSON, Duneraggan, Musgrave-street, Mosman.

COOKS, 20/, 25/, 30/, 40/; H. P. Md., stn., 20/; Cook, Stn., 20/, 25/; House P. Maids, 16/, 18/, 20/; Housemaids, 16/, 18/; Generals, 20/, 25/. Many other vacancies, good wages. Mrs. WOODIN, 52 Post-office-chambers, 114A Pitt-street, opp. G.P.O.

COMPETENT young COOK-GENERAL, no washing, 18s; also Housemaid, sleep at home, 15s, references. EURALIA, Cook-street, Randwick.

COOK-laundress, child not objected, 25s, S.L.; Cook-General, child not objected, 20s, W. L.; 20s, N. L.; Maid-needlewoman, 17s 6d, nr. Scone; Housemaid, 16s, N.L.; House Parlourmaid, 22/6, W.L.; 16/, New Eng.; H.-maid-Laundress, 20/, N.L.; 20/, nr. Scone; Mother and Daughter, or two Friends, £106, W.L.; £91, 8 in family, S.L.; Man, cook-houseman, 25/, nr. Orange. MISS WILTON, 4 Castlereagh-st, 6th Floor. Take lift. Nr. Hunter-st.

COMPT. COOK, 25s, Double Bay, k. maid kept; Plain Cook, 20s, North Shore line, int. 11.30; good Cook, 25s, station, Armidale dis.; C. and L., 25s, and H.P., 17s, Tumut district, int. 12; 2 Friends, Leichhardt, as C.-L., 20s, and H. and P., 15s; L. H. Md. and H. and P., £1 each, 3 in fam., N.W. line; Laund. H. Mds., town, 20s and 22s 6d; compt. Laund., Wool., 25s; Maids, all duties, small fams., 20s to 25s, tram subs.; yg. H. and P., Wool., 14s; compt. H. and Ps., tram subs., Strath., N. Shore line, stations, 18s and 20s; compt. Nurses, ctry., £1; Bur., £1; Chil. Md., 1 ch., 18s; and many others. Miss Rowe, London Bank-chambers, Market-st.

DOMESTIC HELP required. 168 Ben Boyd-rd, near Military-rd, Neutral Bay.

EXPER. Scullery-man, bring references. New South Wales Club, back entrance, O'Connell-st.

FRITH'S RELIABLE AGENCY (City 1556), 25 Elizabeth-street.
BARMAID, PUBLIC and SALOON, also PROBATIONER for Public Bar.
COOKS, COOK-LAUNDRESSES, and GENERALS.
MARRIED COUPLE or FAMILY of milkers for South Coast, man must be accustomed to farm work, wife milk, and boy drive, £150.
MARRIED COUPLE for GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE at Moss Vale, wife good cook, man garden, etc. etc.
B.M. WAITRESSES, COUNTRY HOTELS and CITY.
WAITRESSES for HOTELS, CAFES, and B.-HOUSES.
GARDENER and MILK, MOUNTAIN HOTEL, 17s 6d.

SERVANTS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED MAN as generally useful. Apply after 9, Wimmera, 246 Alfred-st, North Sydney.

FINN, 163 Castlereagh-st.—Pantry Boy, 2 Friends, ctry., Cook-L'dress, H.P. Maid, Generals. 8728.

GIRL wanted as General Help. Orville, Cowper-st, Randwick. Tel., Randwick 637.

GIRL, to make tea and help wait, start at once. McKew, 32 Pitt-st, Quay.

GENERAL wanted, no washing, ref. Lavicole, Woodward-av., Strathfield. Tel., 419 Homebush.

GARDENER and Useful wanted, eld. man, understand pity. Mr. Pontey, Typewriter Co., Barrack-st.

GENERAL, all duties, small family, gas stove, liberal outings. 3 Hopetoun-st, Paddington.

GENERAL, small adult family, every evening free. 155 Brougham-st, off William-st.

GEN., small family, 16/ week. Apply Mrs. Opitz. Tel., Edgecliff 1088, before 10 and after 1 o'cl.

GOOD Ironer, Washerwoman, at once, 6s day, fares. 'Phone, Ashfield 785. 18 Gower-st, Summer Hill.

GD. home, small wage offered eld. Man, light dut., etc., milk, drive. Scarbro, Kogarah-rd, Kogarah.

GENERAL wanted, 3 in family, no children nor cooking, good money. 8 George-st West.

GENERAL wanted, no washing, gas stove. Apply 458 Elizabeth-st, city.

GENERAL, adult family, no wash, gas stove, refs. Apply 9 to 12 or 7 p.m., Mrs. R. W. YOUNG, Church-street, Burwood.

GOVERNESSES req., 2 Kindergarten, Mtns., ctry., £52; Nurs. Gov., 3 pupils, eldest 9, intv. 3, £50; others, Nyngan, Coonamble, etc.; other Positions, suitable for ladies. Miss MacLachlan, 350 George-st.

GARDENER wanted, constant, young, single, references, able to use scythe, wages 20s per week, board and lodging. Apply before 11 or after 2 p.m., Mr. DEAS THOMSON, Rockley, Elizabeth Bay-road.

HOME offered refined Woman in return for Services. After 2 to-day, 69 Arundel-st, Forest Lodge.

HOME, Clothes, Pocket Money, offered useful, ref. Girl, about 14 years. 98 Railway-av, Stanmore.

HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS, sleep home if preferred, references. 45 Macleay-st, Potts Point.

H'MAID-W'TRESS, Kat, 16/, c'try hotel, 15/; W'tress, hotel, Kempsey, 20/. Welch, 112 C'reagh-st.

HOUSEMAID, city hotel, 16s week. Apply early, Miss Oliphant, 6 Linden-court, 107 Castlereagh-st.

HOUSEMAID. Smart young Woman, with references. Queensland Hotel, Erskine-st.

HOUSE and PARLOURMAID wanted for Newcastle, experienced, references required, good wages. Apply 117 Macleay-street, 10 till 12.

HOUSEMAID, must be respectable. MANSION HOUSE HOTEL, 701 George-street, Haymarket. Apply after 9 a.m.

HOUSEMAN-WAITER, 20s, Mountain hotel, young ship's steward preferred.
HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS (temporary), until after Easter, for Mountain hotel, 20s and return fares. A smart, experienced, capable girl only.
WAITRESS, 20s (permanent), for Mountain hotel, take charge of dining-room, with assistance. Interview 11 A.M.
LAUNDRESS, 20s, for hotel, Northern Rivers, easy place, every convenience.
LAUNDRESS, 20s, for KIAMA, hotel, young, agreeable woman only.
HOUSEMAID (only), 16s, leading country hotel, worth 30s extra. Only chance interviewing employer, Monday, 11 a.m.
MARRIED COUPLE, for Junee, MAN general outside man, milk, kill sheep, etc., WIFE general, HOUSEMAID KEPT, £104. EMPLOYER TO BE INTERVIEWED IN TOWN.
MARRIED COUPLE, for Warren, excellent place, 3 in family, man to milk, kill sheep, wife general, excellent place, must be good workers.
HOUSEMAID, for first-class hotel, BOWRAL, must assist waiting, 20s, excellent place. Must leave Monday.
MISS MACNAMARA,
WENTWORTH-COURT, 64 Elizabeth-street. CITY 3374.

KILLARA.—MAID wanted, good home. Apply Valetta, Springdale-rd, Killara.

KITCHENMAN, experienced restaurant work. Armstrong, 88 William-st, city.

KITCHENMAID, city hotel, good place, 25s; interview 11. Peters, 41 Elizabeth-st.

KITCHENMAID, quick and experienced, start this morning. Kosciusko Cafe, 132A Liverpool-st.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Machinist, work body ironer, high wages. Coogee laundry, opp. P.O., R'wick.

LAUNDRY.—Wtd., good Starch Ironers. Hamilton's Steam Laundry, Blue's Point-rd, North Sydney.

LIGHT GENERAL, no cooking, small cottage, 2 adults. Cronulla, Calypso-avenue, Mosman.

LADY HELP, refined, for small family, all duties except washing. Apply 127 Raglan-st, Mosman.

LAUNDRY.—Exp. Plain Ironers wanted, constant, gd. w. Wentworth Laundry, 161 Weston-rd, Rozelle.

LIGHT GENERAL, for 3 adults, gas stove, sleep at home optional. 154 Norton-st, Leichhardt.

LAUNDRY.—Competent Calender Hands. Loon Laundry, Wentworth-st, off Underwood-st, Paddington.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, experienced Starch and Plain Ironers, cons. Parisian Ldry., 224 Jersey-rd, Padd.

LIGHT GENERAL, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mrs. Costello, 12 Abercrombie-st, city.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, good Shirt Ironer, constant. The Enmore Laundry, 139 Enmore-rd, Enmore.

LAUNDRY.—Good Collar Machinist, constant. Lanham's Steam Laundry, Forest-st, Forest Lodge.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, good all-round Ironer, top prices. Empire Ldry., 14 Moncur-st, Woollahra.

LAUNDRY.—Good Collar Machinist, start at once. Bijou Laundry, 7 King-st, Newtown.

LAUNDRY.—Woman, wash, one used to laundry pref. Greenwich Laundry, Lane Cove rd, Gore Hill.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, young Girl for calender work and folding. Sunlight Ldry., Lackey-st, Sum. Hill.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, good, strong GIRL, for plain ironing. 36 Marlborough-st, Surry Hills.

LAUNDRY.—Expd. SORTER wanted, man or woman. Geo. Thomas, 12 Castlereagh-st.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Plain Ironer. Clyde Laundry, 101 Percival-rd, Stanmore, near Station.

LADY HELP, or Middle-aged General, 2 adults, all duties, no wash. 38 Harriette-street, Neutral Bay. Tel., 838 N.S.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, experienced Man for Wash-house, also Girls for Folding. STANDARD STEAM LAUNDRY, Dowling-st, off William-st, W'loo.

LADY HELPS, interview 2.30 to-day; House-Parl'maid, S. Line, 18/; Cooks, 27/6 and 25/, subs.; Laundress, 20/; 2 Waitresses, N. Line, 25/, fare paid; Working Housekeeper, 2 adults, 22/6; W. H'keeper, 20/, 1 lady, in bus. Mrs. Trevor-Jones, 14 Moore-st.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, WASHERS, RINSERS, BLUERS, HANGERS-OUT, and GIRLS for FOLDING ROOM. SYDNEY STEAM LAUNDRY, Crown and Stanley streets.

LADY HELP or GENERAL, for aged couple, Bega district, all duties, fare paid to Kameruka, wages 10s, six months' engagement. Address, Mrs. ALFRED HUGHES, Post-office, Penshurst-street, Willoughby.

MAN COOK, station, 30s; Houseman-Waiter, 22s 6d. Interview to-day, 11, Blunt's, 219 Elizabeth-st.

MARRIED COUPLE, near Moss Vale, man milk, separate, useful, able ride; wife l'dress, cottage, milk, £2/10/, no obj. children. SCHOLEFIELD, 41 Elizabeth-street.

M. COUPLE, wife gen., man gen. useful, no obj. 1 child over 2 yrs., 2 ads., North; COOK, 25/, Muswellbrook; COOK (man), 30/, stn., Bourke; COOK GEN, 20/, D. Bay; USEFUL BOY, good home, in country, come with parent; COMPTLE HELP, Eng. pref., 17/6, stn. MISS HUNGERFORD, 65 Market-street (over Cohen's tailor).

MAN, cook-general, for 1 bachelor, stn., 20/, W. Line; B. Rider, muster, draft, etc., 20/, Mudgee Line; 4 Youths, milk, kill, and useful, 12/6 to 15/, inter. 12 o'cl.; M. Couple, man garden, useful, wife c. l'dress, £104, N.W. Line. Sisters or Friends, stn., W. Line; 2 Adults, 20/ each. Yng. Girl, H. P. Maid, W. Line, inter. 11; Yng. Lady Help, assist with children, 15/, N.W. Line, inter. 11; H. P. Maid, near Goulburn, 20/, Trangie 20/, Grafton 17/, Bourke 15/; Ldry. H'maid, 20/, N. L. Mrs. M'Clusky, 70 Hunter-st.

M. COUPLE, man milk and kill, wife h'keeper, bake, 1 bachelor, £90, take a child; another, £90, Sth.
M. COUPLE, man milk and kill, wife general, no baking, Warren, £100.
MILKMAN and USEFUL, stns., 20/. Cook, 30/.
HOUSEMEN (3), subs. and stns., 20/ ea., fares paid.
GROOM, to milk and kill, 22/6 and 20/, S. and W.
HALL PORTER, 25/, country hotel, int. 10.
MAIDS' DEPT.
COOK and L'DRESS, no baking, 3 adults, N. Line, 25/, int. 11; another, 25/, N. West.
L'DRESS, H'MAIDS (3), 25/, South and W. Lines.
COOK (only), stn., Moree, 25/, no baking.
H'MAID-W'TRESS, S. Coast, 20/, com. hotel.
SIMPSON BROS.,
Tel., City 1872. 1 Elizabeth-street.

PARIS CAFE, 639 George-st.—Wanted, experienced WAITRESS, also KITCHENMAID. Start at once.

PANTRYMAID-GENERAL wanted, start immediately. Lanford House, Carrington-st, Wynyard-square.

REF. Woman, Dom. Help, easy place, 16s. Birriga-rd, first stop after park, Bellevue Hill.

REFINED young Girl as Mother's Help. Mrs. Leslie Finney, Edinglassie, Redmyre-rd, Strathfield.

REFINED LADY req. for station, comp. help. £52, small fam. App. 5 to-day. Venn, Brown, 263 Pitt-st.

REF. Girl as Help, comf. home, willing to assist with children, light duties, mothers acc., Prot. By letter, Mrs. J. Simpson, 77 Hereford-st, For. Lodge.

REQUIRED, for the country, one hour's journey from Sydney, Middle-aged Domestic Help, small adult family, no washing. Apply 217 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, Monday, 3 p.m.

SINGLE MAN, for milkcart, 30s and keep. Kooringa, Clyde-st, Croydon Park.

SMART MAN, kitchen work, and must be able to wait at table. 22 Macleay-st.

SMART YOUTH, about 15, useful, fish shop, 25s and keep. Apply personally or by letter, Rochester Bros., 27 Willoughby-road, Crow's Nest, North Sydney.

SMART young General and assist bar, must be accustomed to hotel work. Good wages. Apply after 2 p.m. Empress Hotel, Regent-st.

SIMMONDS, 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, SYDNEY.
FARM HANDS, milk, useful, 22s 6d, 20s, keep.
YOUTH, learn mixed farming, 10/, keep.
GARDENER, for subs., £2 5s. See employer 10.30.
STATION YOUTH, 17s 6d, groom, milk, kill.
GARDENER, USEFUL, 25s, private house, subs.
COOK-LAUNDRESS, 25s, station, GOOD PLACE.
WAITRESS, coml. hotel, Western Line, 20s, tips.
SUIT WOMAN WITH A CHILD, Cook-Laundress, £1.

TWO Sisters or Friends, to do all duties, good wages. [illegible]

TEA WAITRESS, also NURSEGIRL, wanted, at once. Apply 84 George-st West.

USEFUL, under 21. Cochrane's Hotel, Day-st, city.

WTD., expd. Man, to deliver milk, 32/6 per wk., refs. req. M. White, Dairyman, Chatswood.

WANTED, Married Couple, suburbs, £2, house, firing. Apply 452 Kent-st, near Druitt-st.

WANTED, trustworthy person, housework, part day only. 9 Stanley-st, Hyde Park, near College-st.

WANTED, Light General, small adult family. Miss Cameron, Selwyn-st, Wollstonecraft, North Sydney.

WANTED, exp. Midday Waitresses, no Sat., Sunday, holidays, once. Cafe Anglais, 11 Macquarie-pl., city.

WANTED, GENERAL, no washing, references. Mrs. F. Crane, Linden, Alt-st, Ashfield.

WANTED, GENERAL, 3 in family, cottage. Lilleff, Arthur-st, Randwick.

WANTED, a good GENERAL, good wages, 2 in family. Kismet, Hill-st, Undercliffe.

WANTED, KITCHENMAN, experienced, smart and clean. Apply Chef, A.B.C.

WANTED, compt. General. Apply 639 Darling-st, Rozelle.

WANTED, a young GIRL, to assist housework, sleep home. Apply Mrs. Leslie, 47 New Canterbury-rd, Petersham.

WOMAN, clean billiard saloon every morning. Apply 9.30, King's Billiard Saloon, 865 George-st.

WAITRESSES, Gens., H'maids, Woman, c'try, bake. Moore's Agency, 113 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, a young General Servant. Apply Kismet, Hill-st, Undercliff, Marrickville.

SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED, respectable, young Girl as General. 65 Cleveland-st, Moore Park. 'Phone, Red. 11.

WANTED, good WAITRESS. 22 Hunter-st.

WANTED, a General Servant, start at once. Apply 227 Oxford-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, smart Midday Waitress, start 11 o'clock. MOCKBELL'S, Angel-place, near G.P.O.

WANTED, General, all duties, 4-roomed cottage. HAMPTON, Belmont-rd, Mosman.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, no Sunday or holiday work. Australian, Australian Tea Rooms, 21 Rowe-st.

WANTED, GENERAL HELP. 556 Crown-st, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a WAITRESS. Apply Grand National Hotel, Elizabeth-st, Paddington.

WANTED, a General, plain cook, no washing, housemaid kept. Zamora, 68 Paddington-st, Paddington.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS, also NIGHT WAITRESS, start at once. 66 Oxford-st, city.

WANTED, Man COOK, 30s and keep. Buchan, Milton Dairy, Carrington-rd, Randwick.

WANTED, Person, housework, 4 hours daily, no holiday, Sunday work. A. F., Crow's Nest Post-office.

WANTED, a good General Servant, with references, 15s week. Mrs. Barnett, 97 Liverpool-st, city.

WANTED, a HOUSEKEEPER for Narrabeen, child no objection. After 10, 75 Botany-rd, Waterloo.

WANTED, exp. H'maid-W'tress. Rush's Hotel, cr. Oxford and Denison sts, Bondi Junction.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. 615 George-st, National Coffee Palace.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Apply Belvedere, 81 Woolcott-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a MAN as GENERAL USEFUL. Hotel Rawson, George-st and Ultimo-rd, Haymarket.

WANTED, young GIRL about 18, light house duties. Vaughan's, 290 Oxford-st, Paddington.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS. American Cafe (good wages). 106 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, 6 smart Waitresses, for cafe, commence at once or Wednes. morng. Frith's Agency, 10 a.m.

WANTED, Housemaid, learn bar. Apply 3 p.m., at New Zealand Hotel, William-st, city.

WANTED, young Man (Swede), for pig farm. Apply 20 Boulevard, Leichhardt, before 8 a.m. to-day.

WAITRESS wanted, at once, good salary, no duffer need apply. 162 George-st, city.

WANTED, respectable BARMAID. Apply after 10 a.m., J. Hyles, Royal Oak Hotel, Sussex-Erskine sts.

WANTED, an experienced WAITRESS, start at once. 472 George-st, city.

WANTED, 2 experienced Order Waitresses, good wages. 5 Pitt-st (Harbour View Cafe), Circ. Quay.

WANTED, good COOK, for small boarding-house. 40 Walker-st, North Sydney.

WANTED, a WAITRESS and PANTRYMAID. Metropolitan Cafe, 154 George-st North.

WANTED, a competent General, adult family, no washing. Waranda, 36 Johnston-st, Annandale.

WANTED, smart, compt. General, good wages. Apply after 8, Winchester Hotel, Glebe-rd, Glebe.

WANTED, FISH CLEANER and USEFUL. Bondi Fish Shop, 175 Bondi-rd, Bondi.

WANTED, a smart Useful Girl to help a few hours daily. After 9 a.m., Lochinvar, 3 Cary-st, Wav.

WANTED, exp. Tea Waitress, do. Midday. Exchange C. Palace, 77 Sussex-st, city.

WANTED, reliable GENERAL, no washing. 107 Darlinghurst-rd, D'hurst.

WANTED, Light General, assist all duties, no washing, gas stove. 14 Carrington-av., Strathfield.

WANT House-Parlour Maid, light place, good wages. 1 St. Mary's-terr., Lower Domain-rd, city.

WANTED, Housemaid-Waitress, smart and exp. Apply 54 Carrington-st, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, smart young General, assist bar. After 11. Mrs. Walshe, Te Oro Hotel, Albion-st.

WANTED, 2 Order Waitresses, good only need apply, good wages. 18 Market-st.

WANTED, smart Order Waitress, start at once, good wages. 24 George-st West.

WANTED, light General, light place, good wages. Apply 166 Elizabeth-st, near Goulburn-st.

WANTED, a General, 3 adults, ctge., gas stove. 7 Avenue-rd, off Toxteth-rd, Glebe Point.

WANTED, strong, reliable Woman, no washing or cooking, sleep out. 10 Boyce-st, Glebe Point.

WASHING Woman wanted, half day's work. At once, fare paid. Apply 34 Eglinton-rd, Glebe Pt.

WANTED, young General, no washing or cooking. Mrs. Newson, shop, Hirst-st, Arncliffe.

WANTED, good Girl, light housework, no washing or ironing, sleep home. 516 M'ville-rd, Dul. H.

WANTED H'MAID, assist, 17/6, no Sunday work. 41 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, young General, gas stove, references. Hillcrest, Seaview-st, Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, Yng. Man, Milk and Deliver, must be gd. milker. Collins, Dairy, Matherson-st, Freshwater.

WANTED, a Useful and Assist in Bar. Town Hall Hotel, King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, WOMAN, to do Washing, Monday pref. Apply early, 246 Nelson-st, Annandale.

WANTED, a young GIRL, to assist. 49 Arthur-st, Lavender Bay. 'Phone, N. S. 1348.

WANTED, 2 smart WAITRESSES. Apply 93 George-st North.

WANTED, Light General, 2 adults. Apply Reid's Store, cor. Cohen-st and Sydney-rd, Manly.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Esplanade Cafe, Manly, opp. Pier.

WANTED, an old-age Pensioner as Caretaker. Apply 10.30, Relma Studios, 216 King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, Youth, milk, drive, 17s 6d, W. line; eld. Man, garden, use g. Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.

WANTED, L. Help, 15s; W. Cook, hotel, 35s, 25s; 3 Maids, stn., no l. w., 20s each. Gregg s.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID. Victoria Coffee Palace, 208 Pitt-st.

WANTED, good reliable Housekeeper or Lady Help; refs. Ferguson, Eaton-Australia sts, Camperdown.

WANTED, Pantrymaid, no Sat. afternoon or Sunday work. Municipal Din. Rooms, Ultimo-rd, Hymkt.

WANTED, to start at once, Girl or Woman for kitchen work. 2 Rowe-st, near G.P.O.

WANTED, active MAN, 20s a week and keep. M. Whittaker, Denison-st, Botany.

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NEW STYLES FOR AUTUMN AT THE BLOCK CORNER.

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A display of new Autumn Blouse Styles commences to-day. The latest fashion features (particulars given below), are embodied, but the outstanding feature of this display is the splendid values offered. Whether you need blouses for holiday wear, practical morning wear, or for dressy afternoon and evening occasions, you will find them here, all ready to wear, AT PRICES REPRESENTING THE KEENEST VALUES.

THE CHANGE IN BLOUSE STYLES.

With the new Blouses, the most apparent change is in the collars. Most of the models favour the high-setting collars at the back of neck, then either opening in a flared effect, or falling in light ruffles. Wide Robespierre Collars, plain or striped, are also a very smart feature of some of the blouses. There is very little change in sleeves, the most popular being the Raglan, which is improved in shape, and are in styles to suit every figure. A few examples of the splendid values are quoted here, but a personal inspection is necessary to realise that the blouses are all in good, fashionable styles, at very special prices.

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These Blouses we offer to-day are smart enough for any occasion. They have high roll collars and inner vests of voile, neatly hemstitched. The sleeves, which are in a new Raglan design, are also hemstitched. Quite a smart innovation are sets of pin tucks from neck to shoulders at back. By purchasing one of these Blouses to-day, you can effect a splendid saving. All sizes are obtainable. See the special displays in our Windows and Department. If unable to call, orders mailed immediately will be filled at the special price and sent carriage paid.

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BALL AND WELCH, LTD.,

THE HOUSE FOR RELIABLE GOODS AT MODERATE PRICES.

AUTUMN STYLES TO-DAY IN MILLINERY AND COSTUMES, AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

We have the smartest, most moderately priced little Hats in the city at the present time, and we invite our patrons to specially view them. The change of season calls for a change in Millinery, and we have been at pains to secure just what you are needing in this particular direction.

READY-TO-WEAR MILLINERY.

SPECIAL DISPLAY, 1ST FLOOR SHOWROOM.

SMART STYLES IN STITCHED GLACE HATS.

Finished with band and bow, in Navy, Black, and Violet.
PRICE, 6/11, 8/6, 9/11, 12/6, 15/3.

WHITE FELTS,
With coloured Silk and Velvet bands.
PRICE, 7/6, 8/6, 11/6, 12/9, 15/6.

CHIC BLACK VELVET HATS,
in the newest shapes, very jaunty styles, military finish, as now worn.
SPECIAL PRICE .... 21/.

We specialise in Millinery, and if we have not exactly what you are looking for, our Expert Milliners will execute your order on the shortest notice.

COSTUMES A LA MODE.

INEXPENSIVE, SMART SUITS AND ROBES.

NO. 1.
PRICE 23/6.—NAVY CHEVIOT COAT AND SKIRT, Sac coat, smartly tailored, loose effect, following the new line Instep skirt. This suit touches the high-water mark of value.

NO. 2.
PRICE 29/6.—NAVY GABARDINE TWO-PIECE SUIT, loose Raglan coat, belted at hips, roll collar, bone buttons, well-cut skirt, tailored. Also in Mole.

NO. 3.
PRICE 38/6.—ENGLISH TWEED SUIT, Sports Sac Coat, belted, pockets, and roll collar. Trim, well-cut skirt, in heather mixture of Brown and Fawn.

PRICE 39/6.—NAVY SERGE COSSACK SUIT, beautifully tailored. The coat is loose, with knife-pleated basque from hips to instep. Medieval sleeve, smart roll collar. Hip sash of Black corded silk. Plain military buttons. This is special value in every way.

These special styles, with many others, await you in our spacious, well-lighted COSTUME SHOWROOM, 1st FLOOR.

We pay carriage on all Drapery, but not on Carpets, Linos., or Toys.

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'Phone, 4800 City.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF

LLOYD AND COLLINS,

PURCHASED BY

FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED,

will be Closed One Week from To-day, Monday, while stocktaking is in progress, preparatory to a huge Clearing Sale, which will be held shortly, due notice of which will be given later.

Watch papers for further particulars.

GOOD COUGH MIXTURE.

FAMOUS RECIPE USED IN THOUSANDS OF HOMES.

"Myself and family use Hean's Essence for making cough mixture. We find it splendid and cheap."—A. J. Frazer, Tonequinae, N.S.W.

"Have used several bottles Hean's Essence, and find it best cough and cold remedy I have ever tried, as well as a money-saver."—Fredk. Hayman, Clarendon, N.S.W.

Hean's Essence—for preparing good home-made cough mixture—is used in thousands of Australian homes. It is such a splendid remedy for all family coughs and colds and saves so much money—10/ on every bottle used—that wherever it is tried folks are delighted with it.

Get a bottle from your chemist or store to-day, and add sweetening and water as directed. If it does not prove the finest cough remedy for general family purposes you have ever used send me the empty bottle and packet, and I will promptly return your money in full. The saving is yours—the risk is mine.

Hean's Essence at most chemists and stores, or post free on receipt of price, 2/, from G. W. Hean, Chemist, 178 Castlereagh-street, Sydney. Be sure and get Hean's, the original, as imitations will disappoint you. Note how my name is spelt—H-E-A-N.

THE BIG STORE, BROWN-STREET, NEWTOWN.

THE HOUSE FOR SOLID VALUES.

EMBROIDERIES. EMBROIDERIES.

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THIS WEEK ONLY.

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SPECIAL SALE OF EMBROIDERIES.

We have decided to close the Season by offering our remaining Stock at prices that must compel a clearance.

The following are few of the many Bargains to be disposed of:—

CAMBRIC EDGINGS, 1/3, 1/11, 2/3, 3/3, 4/3 per dozen. Worth double.

CAMBRIC BEADINGS, large variety of Patterns to clear, 1/9 per dozen. Usual, 2/3 and 2/6.

CAMISOLE EMBROIDERY, 7½d and 10½d. Usual, 10½d and 1/3.

CAMBRIC FLOUNCINGS, 18 Various Designs, 1/1½.

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERY, 10½d, 1/4½, 1/11½, 2/6, and 2/11.

SPECIAL.

CHILDREN'S EMBROIDERY COLLARS, well-made, pretty designs, a really serviceable Collar. Must go, 1/ and 1/3. Worth Double.

GREEN COUPONS

GIVEN FREELY.

The Value of Coupons is so well known to the careful and keen buyer that the nature of this offer, combined with the Special Low Prices, will be AT ONCE RECOGNISED.

MARCUS CLARK & CO., LTD.,

THE BIG STORE,

BROWN-STREET,

NEWTOWN.

SYDNEY'S BIG NEW STORE.

Denison House is a Shop well known in George-street as

"THE STORE THAT STUDIES YOUR POCKET."

It is the home of good value, and affords every comfort and has a stimulating effect on Thrifty Buyers.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY OF

NEW AUTUMN FASHIONS.

OUR SHOWING OF NEW AUTUMN GOODS IS ONE THAT MUST APPEAL READILY TO THE WOMAN OF FASHION AND EVERY THRIFTY PURCHASER.

LATEST CORRECT STYLES,

RELIABLE QUALITY,

LOWEST PRICES.

We Solicit your Inspection, You will Not be pressed to Buy.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL—

LARGE TURKISH TOWELS, 1/.

FOR THREE DAYS ONLY WE ARE OFFERING A LARGE BROWN TURKISH BATH TOWEL, WITH RED AND WHITE STRIPE, 52 INCHES LONG AND 25 INCHES WIDE, AT 1/, USUAL PRICE 1/4½.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE GOWNS,

TO ORDER.

FROM 5 GUINEAS.

A Splendid Range of Newest Suitings to Select From.

We are pleased to announce we have engaged Mr. DABBS, SYDNEY'S WELL-KNOWN CUTTER, to take charge of this department, so that Ladies can thoroughly rely on getting a first-class FIT and WELL FINISHED GARMENT.

The Dabbs Patent Skirt is so well known that it requires no further comment. We would remind Ladies it can only be procured at DENISON HOUSE.

M'DOWELL & HUGHES, LTD.,

"DENISON HOUSE," George-street (nr. G.P.O.),

SYDNEY,

"The Store that Studies your Pocket."

STOCKTAKING REMNANTS,

AS APPLIED TO

BOOTS AND SHOES.

We have a number of VARIED DESIGNS in Ladies' Boots and Shoes.

IRREGULAR IN SIZES.

They comprise Button and Lace Patterns, most of them our very highest quality. They have narrow toes.

THEY WILL NOW BE SOLD, ALL OF THEM, AT 7/11 PER PAIR.
During a Few Days.

SEE OUR WINDOW.

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CHERRY BLOSSOM POLISH SAVES WORK—SHINES BEST.

"Outshines all shines, wet or shine."

Cherry Blossom polishes brilliantly—preserves the leather—improves the appearance of your footwear—saves time—and best from every point of view.

It is economical, and recommended to people who desire to look particularly smart. Black or Tan; sold in patent quick-opening tins.

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because pure, undyed wool is the natural protective. It stimulates the skin to healthy action, and imparts a delicious sense of well-being. "JAEGER" is pure wool (guaranteed) and of silken soft texture. Obtainable all DRAPERS and MERCERS. Of course, you know the "JAEGER" Co. is BRITISH.

FARMER'S AUTUMN FASHION REVIEW OPENS TO-DAY.

A MATCHLESS EXPOSITION OF NEW AND AUTHENTIC STYLES.

FORMING INTENSELY INTERESTING DISPLAYS IN WINDOWS AND SHOWROOMS.

So important a representation of the reigning Autumn Fashions as that now presented by Farmers creates no small amount of interest. One and all are invited to promenade and view the hundred and one Fashion features portrayed in the beautiful settings which our Windows and Showrooms afford.

GLIMPSES OF FASHION IN AUTUMN MILLINERY.

FORECAST OF THE SEASON'S STYLES,

AS PORTRAYED TO-DAY IN

FARMER'S MILLINERY SALON.

SMALL MILITARY SHAPES ARE MUCH IN EVIDENCE—this fact will be borne home after a fleeting survey of our Millinery Showroom. But it will also be noted that there is a decided tendency to introduce the larger shapes.

BLACK VELVET IS THE KEYNOTE of this season's Millinery, and no doubt will hold premier favour for some time to come.

ERMINE, AS A TRIMMING, is at all times welcomed, and this season's Modistes have been fully alive to the charm of this adornment, for many of the smartest creations have ermine added as the finishing touch.

THE ENDLESS VARIETY OF SHAPES this season will simplify the often difficult question of "What shall I wear?" The perfect head-fitting of each particular creation has been thoroughly mastered.

IN THE READY-TO-WEAR SECTION, a fine collection of new styles is assembled. Art and usefulness are allied in these smart styles, forming some of the most distinctive productions shown in the Salon.

OUR HOME BUYERS, notwithstanding numerous difficulties, have succeeded in procuring some of the finest creations of English and French Modistes. We invite inspection of this unique display.

The following models should be particularly noted:—

THE MILITARY EFFECT is achieved in a BECOMING TRICORNE OF BLACK VELVET, with a unique arrangement of dull gold braid and black ostrich feather tassel at side. PRICE, 3 GNS.

CHARMING TETE DE NEGRE VELVET MODEL, with softly draped brim and crown of skunk. Simply trimmed with wide velvet bows arranged at either side. PRICE, 4½ GNS.

CHIC PARIS MODEL OF BLACK VELVET, with narrow, close-fitting brim, slightly rolled; narrow ostrich feather round crown, and new lace veil with border of ostrich feather caught with tiny pink rose; to clasp round neck. PRICE, 5 GNS.

PARIS MODEL OF BLACK VELVET, with deep upturned brim, edged Ermine and soft Ermine crown, finished with smart bow of corded ribbon at side. PRICE, 5½ GNS.

THIRD FLOOR, PITT-STREET.

NEW AUTUMN STYLES IN FARMER'S READY-TO-WEAR COSTUMES.

TWO IMPORTANT FEATURES OF THE COSTUME FASHION DISPLAY.

FIRST.—

MAGNIFICENT SHOWING of TAILOR-CUT COAT and SKIRT COSTUMES, in fine Coating Serge (NAVY and BLACK). This is probably the finest collection of these beautiful suits. These are perfect in cut, fit, and style, assuring perfect satisfaction, comfort, and durability.

PRICES from 45/, 55/, 63/, 73/6, 84/, 94/6, 105/, to 8 Gns. A good, variable range at each of these prices.

SECOND.—

COAT and SKIRT SUITS in the material of the moment, namely CRAVENETTE.

CRAVENETTE SPORTS SUITS.

The most fashionable and sought-after of the season, made in the most durable material manufactured. These suits, mostly London made, are stylishly cut, in long-waisted effect, with flared Coat Tunics and wide Belts, giving unusually smart appearance.

Made in the finest of COVERT Suitings, in Drab, Drab Green, Mid. Brown, and Grey, the conventional shades of this material.

PRICES 55/, 84/, 5, 5½, 6 to 8½ Guineas.

SECOND FLOOR, MARKET-STREET.

SEE SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN THESE COLUMNS,

dealing with the purchase of

LLOYD AND COLLINS' STOCK,

BY FARMER AND COMPANY, LTD.

FARMER'S, SYDNEY.

PITT, MARKET, AND GEORGE STREETS.

THE LAST FEW DAYS.
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BRASCH'S MIGHTY SALE.

LIBERAL REDUCTIONS ALL DEPARTMENTS.
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BIG UNDERCLOTHING SALE.

SUMMER STOCKS SACRIFICED.
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SALE PRICE 1/6½.—EMBROIDERY CAMISOLE, with Val. edging, shoulder strap of fine beading, finished ribbon bow.
Usual 2/3; SALE PRICE, 1/6½.

SALE PRICE 1/11½.—DAINTY MUSLIN CAMISOLE, Magyar style, fasten at back, trimmed Swiss beading and edging.
Usual 2/6; SALE PRICE, 1/11½.

SALE PRICE 2/11.—DAINTY CAMISOLES, in Fine Muslin, several styles to choose from. All daintily trimmed, with Val. and Malines insertion, Swiss embroidery, beading, and edging. Square, round, and V necks.
Usual, 4/6; SALE PRICE, 2/11.

SALE PRICE 3/11.—LADIES' CAMISOLES, in good quality muslin and madapolam, elegantly trimmed with Torchon insertion and edging, fine Swiss beading and edging, threaded ribbon. All with sleeves and square or V necks. Many styles to select from.
Usual, 5/6; SALE PRICE, 3/11.

SALE PRICE 2/11½.—LADIES' NIGHTS, in good quality Longcloth, V neck, with wide embroidery insertion, tucks and edging; also round neck with front trimmed, sets of tucks and frills of embroidery. Usual, 3/9; SALE PRICE 2/11½.

SALE PRICE 4/11½.—USEFUL MAGYAR NIGHT, in good Madapolam, trimmed fine embroidery insertion, and Swiss edging.
WORTH 6/11; SALE PRICE, 4/11½.

SALE PRICE 5/6.—DAINTY MAGYAR NIGHT, in good quality Madapolam, with Circular yoke and Cuff of fine Val., threaded Ribbon.
WORTH 7/6; SALE PRICE, 5/6.

SALE PRICE 6/11.—MAGYAR NIGHT, in Fine Madapolam, V neck, trimmed Back and Front, also sleeve with torchon insertion, threaded ribbon.
WORTH 8/11; SALE PRICE, 6/11.

SALE PRICE 8/11.—DAINTY NIGHT, in good quality Madapolam, elaborately trimmed with very fine Swiss and torchon insertion, inlet Beading and finished Torchon Edging and Ribbon. Square and V necks.
WORTH 12/6; SALE PRICE, 8/11.

CARRIAGE PAID ON ALL DRAPERY.

REUBEN BRASCH,

OXFORD-STREET.

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HAVE YOU TRIED ARNOTT'S "GOOD LUCK" BISCUITS?

For all out-dooring—great.
For all indooring—great.

Better than most sweetened Biscuits.

Purer, Fresher, and More Wholesome than bread or cake—

With a glorious butter flavour that defies description.

Try "Good Luck" Biscuits straightaway.

All Grocers sell Large and Small Tins.

BAKED BY ARNOTT,

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STOCKTAKING WEEK.

GENUINE

SOLID

SAVINGS AT

MARK FOY'S, LIMITED.

BUSIER THAN EVER THIS WEEK

WITH

NOT HERE-AND-THERE REDUCTIONS—NOT PRICES HOISTED UP TO LOWER AGAIN—NOT BOUGHT-IN RUBBISH, CHEAPER TO LEAVE ALONE—NOT OLD, STALE, OUT-OF-DATE GOODS—NOT COMMON-PLACE CHOICE—NOT SLEEPING AND UNWANTED KINDS; BUT OUR OWN STOCKS.

EVERYTHING OFFERED IS GOOD—GOOD AS GOLD, AND THIS COMBINATION OF GOODNESS AND LOW PRICE IS WHAT MAKES THE FOY STOCKTAKING CARNIVAL ALWAYS WORTH WHILE—AS INSTANCE,

COSTUMES, ETC.

ODDMENT WEEK IN FOY'S SHOWROOM. WE ARE BUSILY ENGAGED IN CLEARING OUT ODD LOTS IN BLOUSES, ROBES, SKIRTS, COSTUMES, ETC. LADIES, IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR BARGAINS, COME FOYWARDS TO-DAY.

TABLE OF SOILED BLOUSES, comprised of high and low necks, button backs, etc. These are somewhat soiled, and for this reason they have been reduced from 5/11, 6/11, and 7/11, 8/11 for final clearance. They are now marked
2/11½ and 3/11½.

FIFTY ONLY COLOURED FRENCH MODEL BLOUSES, in Ninons, Crepe de Chines, Silks, etc. These are really choice goods. They are in high or low necks, in a good range of colours, including a few Blacks. The ordinary prices range as high as 19/11. All reduced for final clearance to
9/11. 9/11.

TABLE CONTAINING the Balance of our MEDIUM-PRICED SUMMER COATS and SKIRTS. These are marked for to-day at absolutely give-away prices. Costumes that were previously MARKED at high as prices ranging FROM 19/11 TO 29/11 are now marked for FINAL CLEARANCE at
7/11. 7/11.

Granted that they are slightly soiled, yet the skirt is worth more than we are asking for the whole Costume.

ROBES. ROBES.
Foy's are making a BIG CLEARANCE of about 250 of their lower numbers. These are in MUSLINS, CAMBRICS, VOILES, etc. There is a big diversity of styles to choose from, in both high and low necks, represented in a good range of colours. ORDINARY PRICES range FROM 9/11 to 16/11. FOY'S FINAL CLEARANCE PRICE is
2/11, 3/11, 4/11.

FIFTY ONLY TAILORED COATS AND SKIRTS, suitable for present wear. They are in TUSSORE SILK, ASSAM SILK, SILK POPLINS, etc, and every one is MARKED AT EXACTLY HALF PRICE. Ladies, this is an opportunity too good to miss. Come and have a look at them—one glance will satisfy you. Prices range from
29/11 to 49/11.

TABLE of very dainty LACE and NINON COATEES. Nothing looks nicer with a Tailor-made Skirt than one of these effective Coatees—and they are so inexpensive. FOY'S PRICE IS ONLY
7/11. 7/11.

BIG CLEARANCE of CREAM and WHITE TAILOR-MADE WALKING SKIRTS. These are perfectly cut and well-fitting Skirts. We have sold hundreds at 5/11, 6/11, and 7/11. Foy's CLEARING PRICE to-day is only
4/11. 4/11.

SPECIAL CLEARANCE of about FIFTY BLACK GLACE, BLACK JAP., and BLACK SATIN WALKING SKIRTS. These are wonderfully dressy Skirts, and they are honestly worth twice as much as Foy's are asking for them—viz.,
16/11. 16/11.

Blacks only.

BIG CLEARANCE of Soiled JAP. SILK BLOUSES. These we are clearing out at

4/11½ and 5/11½.

In many cases this is LESS THAN HALF PRICE; but we require more room for our new goods, so they must be cleared out at once—and so they will, at the exceptionally low prices of
4/11½ and 5/11½.

TABLE of LADIES' JAP. SILK ROBES and LACE ONE-PIECE ROBES. There are only a few of them. The original prices were as high as 49/11. To-day they are all to be cleared out at
15/11. 15/11.

LADIES, WE HAVE ABOUT ONE HUNDRED SUMMER ROBES

THAT WE DO NOT WANT.

They are an assorted collection in Voiles, Crepes, Sponge Cloths, Muslins, etc. There are all manner of designs to choose from, some of the original prices of these Robes were as high as 39/11 and 49/11; but we want room, and, to ensure a speedy clearance, we are making a tremendous reduction, and clearing out the whole lot at
9/11. 9/11.

Nothing like this has ever been offered before.

JUST A FEW LADIES' ONE-PIECE SATIN ROBES, with dainty Floral Ninon bodice, to be cleared to-day at
29/11. 29/11.

The original price was 49/11, and you could not wish for a more dainty Gown. There is only a very limited quantity.

DRESS MATERIALS.

LT. GROUND CREPES, REDUCED FROM 7½d TO 4½d YARD. We must clear these out to make room for our winter goods. These are choice, dainty designs and fast washing colours. Eighty pieces to select from. No ironing or starching required.

A SPECIAL STOCKTAKING BARGAIN.—40-INCH COLOURED CORDUROY. USUAL PRICE, 1/3½. Now REDUCED to Clear at 8½d YARD. Splendid wearing. Grey, Lime, Champagne, Fawn, Rose, Helio.

A TABLE OF ARTIFICIAL SILK GOODS in CREPE. USUAL PRICE, 3/6 YARD. NOW 1/11½ YARD. Lt. grounds, with lovely fancy designs and floral effects. Always acceptable for a nice blouse. Secure one while they last.

30 PIECES of MIXED MATERIALS, TWEEDS, CORDUROYS, ETC., in dark tones of Grey, Green, Mole, Tan, Brown, Red; also a few Coloured Small Checks, which are very smart. STOCKTAKING PRICE, 1/5½ YARD. 40 INCHES WIDE.

40-INCH SILK-FINISHED POPLIN, 1/6½ YARD. A useful and smart material, which can be used all the year round. Looks like silk. Grey, Gold, Mole, Sky, Apricot, Fawn, Pink, Rose.

40-INCH CREPE METEOR, 2/3¾ YARD. This has been a good seller with us this season. Specially adapted for soft clinging effects. Lemon, Tabac, Sand, Orange, Creme, Biscuit.

40-INCH SEA-FOAM CREPE, 2/1½. SPECIAL PRICE, Royal, Navy, Brown, Tan, Lemon, Sky, V. Rose, Helio., Grey, White, Creme, Champagne, Lime, Reseda, Biscuit, Bronze, Ivory, Cerise.

30 PIECES GREY AND BROWN TWEEDS, in Heather Mixtures, at 2/6½. Suitable for early Autumn wear. WIDTH, 42 INCHES.

28-INCH WASHING JAPANESE CREPES, 7½d YARD. For Pyjamas, Dresses, and hard wear, combined with excellent washing qualities, cannot be excelled. We have a big variety to select from, and offer the best value in the city.

27-INCH MERCERISED SHANTUNG, AT 9¾d YARD. Has a good silky finish. A splendid wearing material; can do Brown, Grey, Pink, Sky, Rose, all choice colours. These are WORTH 1/0½ YARD.

AT 8½d YARD, FRENCH CREPE VOILE. USUAL PRICE 1/6½. We do not wish to carry these over stocktaking, so have decided to clear at 8½d yard. Lovely Printings in light and dark grounds. WIDTH, 28 INCHES.

HOUSEHOLD DRAPERY.

200 DOZ. LINEN DAMASK SERVIETTES, size 22½ x 22½ inches.
5/11 DOZEN.

3 DOZ. HEMMED, HALF-BLEACHED DAMASK CLOTHS, Pure Linen, size 72 x 90 inches.
PRICE, 7/6 EACH.

2 SPECIAL LINES in WHITE LINEN DAMASK, 72 INCHES wide, excellent quality.
PRICES, 2/9 and 3/1 PER YARD.

100 DOZ. BROWN TURKISH TOWELS. A splendid line for the Surf. Size, 45 x 20.
1/1 EACH.

200 DOZ. BROWN "TURKS," at a Special Price—
9½d EACH.

AT 1/7½ we offer a magnificent wearing BROWN TURKISH TOWEL, closely woven, size 48 x 23 inches.

BUY YOUR BROWN LINEN TURKISH TOWELS FROM FOY'S, AND SAVE MONEY.
2/3, 2/10½, 3/9 EACH.

100 DOZ. WHITE TURKISH TOWELS, to clear,
9½d EACH.

OUR WHITE TURKISH TOWEL AT 1/4 IS GRAND VALUE, HEAVY WEIGHT AND LARGE SIZE.

20 DOZ. SPECIAL VALUE WHITE TURKISH TOWELS, size 48 x 25.
PRICE, 1/8 EACH.

A WONDERFUL LINE of CONDENSED TWILL GREY SHEETING, perfectly pure finish.
54 inches wide, 10½d yard.
72 inches wide, 1/0½ yard.
80 inches wide, 1/2½ yard.

200 PAIRS of LACE CURTAINS, 3 yards long, beautiful designs, good quality net, White and Ecru,
6/6 PER PAIR.

200 SATEEN-COVERED, KAPOK-FILLED CUSHIONS,
PRICE, 1/11½ EACH.

FOY'S VALUES in DOUBLE BED SIZE WHITE HONEYCOMB QUILTS are unbeatable.
PRICES, 8/, 11/, 11/9, 17/9 EACH.

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GRAND AUTUMN SHOW OF BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES AT McCATHIES', LTD.,

THE IDEAL SHOPPING HEADQUARTERS.

Model 1.
A Lovely Model in VELOUR CLOTH and CASHMERE DE SOIE, in Nigger Brown trimmed Roman striped Silk, long sleeves, fastening in front; tunic skirt opening in front, overskirt of cashmere de soie, same tone, very deep swathed belt.
Price 6½ Guineas.

Model 2.
Very Chic Model Robes in NAVY NINON and BROCADED CREPE-DE-CHINE, over Silk; the new long Bodice style, Medici Collar of Emerald Velvet, long transparent sleeves of Ninon; Skirt formed of three deep flounces of Ninon, each edged with Silk to tone.
Price 9 Guineas.

Model 3.
Another Beautiful Model in BLACK CHANTILLY LACE and CASHMERE DE SOIE, Bodice of Lace over Flesh-coloured Ninon, with Coatee effect of Cashmere de Soie, long Sleeves, deep Tunic of Lace, over Black, to match Bodice.
Price 8½ Guineas.

Model 4.
Lovely SQUIRREL COAT, full length, can be worn fastening up to throat or open.
PRICE 27½ Guineas.

Model 5.
Very Smart BLACK MUSQUASH COAT, full length and smart shape, trimmed with collar and cuffs of Black Fox Fur.
PRICE 39½ Guineas.

Model 6.
Very Chic Design in three-quarter length BLACK MUSQUASH COAT, rounded at fronts, and smart roll-up Collar of Black Fox Fur.
PRICE 28½ Guineas.

EXQUISITE BLOUSES JUST TO HAND.

Model 1.
A Charming Model Blouse, in EMERALD GREEN NINON, over Net foundation, trimmed with Gold Lace, Font of Dainty Cream Silk Lace, with Collar of Hand Embroidery, sleeve with long-pointed Cuff. Waist finished with smart wide Belt to match.
PRICE 57/6.

Model 2.
A Lovely Model in BLACK and WHITE NINON, trimmed with Shadow Lace and White Satin Ribbon, inlet Vest and Collar daintily finished with Hemstitching and tiny Black Buttons; long sleeve finished at wrist with Shaped Frill.
PRICE 47/6.

Model 3.
Dainty Model in Cream SILK SHADOW LACE, over foundation of Ninon, turn-down Collar and Vest of very Pretty Ninon Embroidery, finished at Waist with wide silk Belt to match.
PRICE 45/6.

Model 4.
Smart Model in NAVY NINON over CHAMPAGNE NINON, with Waistcoat Front of Oriental Satin, finished with Dainty Amber Buttons and High Medici Collar; sleeve with long-pointed Cuff.
PRICE 52/6.

McCATHIES
SHOW TO-DAY
A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF

MODEL MILLINERY,

AND THE BEST VALUE IN UNTRIMMED AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS, FOR AUTUMN.

TAKE A STROLL THROUGH OUR SPACIOUS SHOWROOMS AND INSPECT THE LAST WORD IN THE WORLD'S FASHIONS.

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR FOOT COMFORT.
Wear "SOROSIS,"
the World's Best Footwear.

SOLE AGENTS,

McCATHIES, LTD.,

"THE BUSIEST SHOP IN SYDNEY."
197, 199, 201 PITT-STREET.

SNOW'S, THE STORE THAT NEVER GROWS OLD.

These are high-tide days in the store. From all sources of supply the New Autumn and Winter Fashions have been rolling in, and have banked up everywhere in this harbour.

When the War broke out and there were signs that certain factories would shut down we instantly put our buying force to work to obtain supplies of everything likely to be short. This is why

SNOW'S

are so splendidly prepared in every one of their eighteen specialty shops to serve their Customers with

NEW AUTUMN AND WINTER FASHIONS.

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FRESH IDEAS FROM FASHION'S FOUNT.

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Specialists in Ladies' and Children's Apparel, Manchester, and House Drapery, corner Pitt and Liverpool streets,

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Many a housewife knows what it is to have unexpected visitors and nothing in the house. The wise one always keeps a supply of

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on hand against such emergencies, because in a minute it can be spread on thin slices of white or brown bread—and there you are—the daintiest sandwiches one could wish for.

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It is sold by all Grocers in generous-sized tins. When ordering ask for the Rex Brand.

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Curers of "Rex" Hams and Bacon;
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A SHOW OF

AUTUMN NOVELTIES

THAT WILL

OPEN MANY EYES

AND

ANSWER MANY QUESTIONS,

TO-DAY, AND ALL THIS WEEK,

PITT-STREET HORDERNS

WILL PLACE ON SHOW
THE LATEST AND SMARTEST
NEW THINGS
FOR AUTUMN AND WINTER WEAR.

YOU ARE HEARTILY INVITED TO MAKE A ROUND TRIP OF OUR DEPARTMENTS AND SHOWROOMS TO INSPECT—WE HOPE TO ADMIRE—THE STYLISH NOVELTIES WE PRESENT.

With Vienna and Berlin isolated by a ring of steel and fire, with Paris too near the fighting to have time for lesser interests, LONDON HAS BECOME THE EMPRESS OF FASHION.

You will notice the resultant steadying influence on the modes and ideas that are to-day's latest; you will see how pleasantly
FRENCH DAINTINESS AND TASTE
have been engrafted on to
BRITISH WORTH AND THOROUGHNESS,
to the vast improvement of every model submitted.

MILLINERY.
We don't propose to attempt any description of the latest creations. Taste is here, brilliant and effective colour combinations are here, and also style novelties that are brimful of dainty distinction.
COME IN AND SEE THEM.

COATS AND SKIRTS.
There is always an aspect of utility about the garments that is essentially British. There is a distinctive touch of French taste that lifts the toilette at once to the plane of highest Fashion. Many weaves and many styles are showing, every one emphatically a triumph of design.
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DRESS FABRICS.
Despite the war, and consequent heavy rise in most woollen goods, our first shipment of autumn Dresses shows surprisingly good values and pleasantly moderate prices. On the other hand, the variety of new weaves and subtle variations of favourite fabrics are even larger than usual. There is a dainty flavour about the new names that whets the appetite. We would like to show you:
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You must certainly see the window demonstrating the effect of the new Tartan Velvets, in combination with the Autumn Dress Goods. One is tempted to indulge in extravagant adjectives to describe the gloriously rich effects presented, but you will be better pleased if you will
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Patterns are Now Ready for the Mail.

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THE BRIDE'S BEDROOM

SHOULD BE the most BEWITCHING in the HOME. A FAIR AUSTRALIENNE who came to LAHIFF NOLAN'S, No. 6 CITY-ROAD, BROADWAY CORNER, the other day, told US of a very CHARMING ROOM she had PLANNED. The WALLS were PAPERED with a RIBBON-BORDERED TRELLIS PAPER, let INTO a wide border of IVORY WHITE in CURTAIN fashion. The CARPET was of ROSY HUE; the BED HEAD, set WITHIN a RECESSED SPACE of the WALL, is SHELTERED by SIDE CURTAINS of ROSE and RIBBON CRETONNE, a simple VALANCE of the same ACROSS the TOP. A simple, TASTEFUL BED TREATMENT this, of which a CAREFUL NOTE SHOULD BE TAKEN.

A FLOWERED EIDERDOWN QUILT and an EASY ARMCHAIR CONTRIBUTE to the ATMOSPHERE of COMFORT, and in EVERY DETAIL, from the PURE MAPLE FURNITURE to the PRETTY TOILET WARE and SNOWY BED LINEN, the little SLEEPING APARTMENT was all that MY LADY'S CHAMBER should be.

We are showing NEW DESIGNS in ENAMELLED METAL BEDSTEADS, BLACK ENAMEL and BRASS TRIMMINGS, French Design, size 4ft 6in, 42/6. BLACK ENAMEL, with NICKEL TRIMMINGS, Italian Design, size 4ft 6in, £2/12/6. BLUE ENAMEL, with NICKEL TRIMMINGS, Italian Design, size 4ft 6in, £3/15/. You would buy the LAHIFF-NOLAN STEEL FRAME SPRING MATTRESS if you saw it. Price [illegible]. We Stock a CABLE SIDE SPRING MATTRESS at RAISED ENDS for 17/6. Our 5in LINEN KAPOK SET of BEDDING is the BEST, £3/8/9.

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